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EASTERN NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

Fire in New York.

New York, Feb. 7.—Late last night a fire broke out in [illegible] furniture store 82 and 84 Bowery street, and in a short time the wall fell on No. 86 and 86½, crushing it and setting fire to the building, which, with 82 and 84, were burned and [illegible] causing a loss of $150,000. Insured 10 per cent. Mahoney's loss is $15,000. Loss on buildings, $50,000. The rest of the loss is distributed among a number of the occupants.

Return of Mrs. Thomassen to America.

New York, Feb 7.—Among the passengers on the steamer Holland were Mrs. Thomassen wife of the author of the Bremerhaven dynamite disaster and her four children. She expressed an unwillingness to talk about the case of her unpleasant experience, particularly in the presence of her children, who, as yet, are ignorant of the whole affair. She proposes to seek retirement in her own native country.

Silver on the Way to London.

New York, Feb. 7.—One million dollars in silver are on the way from San Francisco to London.

Money and Stocks.

New York, Feb 7.—Gold closed 12⅝@¾, money [illegible]; stocks, active and strong. Western Union, 73; Quicksilver, 17¼; Pacific, 35½; [illegible]; Wells Fargo, 85; N. Y. C. 113¼; Erie [illegible]; U. P. 68¾; do bonds 103⅞.

To be Hanged.

New York, Feb. 7.—Jno Dolan, convicted of the murder of Mr. Noe, was to-day resentenced to be hanged. March 24th was arranged as the date of [illegible] to give Dolan's counsel time to prepare [illegible] for argument before the court of appeals.

Pleads Not Guilty.

St. Louis, Feb. 7.—Gen. Babcock appeared in the United States court this morning to answer the indictment charging him with complicity in the whisky frauds. He was attended by Judge John [illegible] of New York, Emery A. Storrs, of Chicago, [illegible] General Williams Judge [illegible] and Chester H. Krum, of St. Louis as his counsel. His [illegible] law, U S Marshal Campbell, of the northern district of Illinois, and his brother, C. W. Babcock, of Kansas, sat in the court [illegible]. The District attorney, D. P. Dyer, [illegible] James O'Brodhead and Maj Lucien [illegible] appeared for the Government. It was Gen. [illegible] first appearance in court since his indictment and the formality of pleading not guilty [illegible]. The jurors remaining on the panel and those specially summoned for [illegible] were called over, but only half of them [illegible], they having been selected from outside St. Louis county, and some of them not having had time to arrive. Storrs stated that the counsel [illegible] very much needed another day for consultation and also to await the arrival of important [illegible] evidence. The counsel for the Government made no objection to the delay, and after [illegible] deliberation Judge Dillon announced that the case would go over until to-morrow morning, and at 3 P. M. the jurors would be called again, that it might be seen who were present.

Witnesses for the Babcock Trial.

St. Louis, Feb. 7.—H. C. Rogers, Deputy Commissioner of Internal Revenue, Gen. Gilfillan, [illegible] Treasury Department, and Col. W. H. Parkes, [illegible] Internal Revenue at Denver, Colorado, are here to-day. H. J. Haryan, chief revenue [illegible], and ex-Commissioner Douglas are expected [illegible] as witnesses for the government in the Babcock case.

Alleged Forger Arrested.

New York Feb 7.—Perrin H. Somers, alleged to have committed forgeries in California to the amount of $200,000, was arrested in Brooklyn [illegible].

Fabulously Rich Discoveries of Gold in Colorado.

Denver, Feb 7.—Unusually rich discoveries in [illegible] district of Colorado, have developed [illegible] interest in that quarter. Late assays [illegible] show the presence, in large lodes, of [illegible] of extraordinary richness. The [illegible] Denver and Rio Grande railroad [illegible] on the 25th. The track [illegible] by excellent weather and progress [illegible] of two and a half miles per day [illegible] reach the eastern boundary [illegible] region, early in the spring, [illegible] important section into easy access.

[illegible] to Take Part in the Advisory Council.

[illegible], Feb. 7.—The Second Congregational [illegible] of this city, voted unanimously to [illegible] in the Plymouth advisory council.

Admiral Stringham Dead.

New York, Feb. 7.—Admiral Stringham died in [illegible] to-day, aged 78.

CONGRESSIONAL.

Senate.

Washington, Feb. 7.—The Chair laid before the [illegible] of the New York Board of [illegible] the inexpediency of attempting [illegible] of specie payments before the [illegible] are ripe for it; referred to the [illegible].

[illegible] that to-morrow he would ask [illegible] to take up and consider the House bill [illegible] million and a half to aid in the [illegible]. He hoped whatever the [illegible] to do, it would be done then.

[illegible] from the judiciary committee, reported, [illegible] amendments, the House bill providing [illegible] of the judgments rendered by the [illegible].

[illegible] moved to make the rate of interest on [illegible] 5 per cent., instead of 4 per cent. per [illegible]. After some discussion he withdrew the [illegible], but gave notice that he would offer it [illegible] to some other bill relating to the Alabama [illegible]. The [illegible] proposed by the committee [illegible] and the bill passed.

[illegible] laid before the Senate a communication from the Secretary of the Treasury in response to a resolution of January 20th, inclosing [illegible] from Sidney Dillon, president of the Union Pacific, and C. P. Huntington, [illegible] of the Central Pacific railroad, in regard to a sinking fund for the payment of [illegible] due the government by said [illegible].

[illegible] moved that the communication be printed [illegible] on the table, so ordered. He gave notice [illegible] day he would call it up and submit [illegible] in regard to the pecuniary and other relations [illegible] the government and the Pacific [illegible].

[illegible] a resolution of the California [illegible] asking modification of the treaty between the United States and China relative to the [illegible] into this country of Chinese, referred [illegible] on foreign affairs. Also a resolution [illegible] body asking that pensions be given [illegible] soldiers, sailors and marines of the Mexican [illegible] to the committee on pensions.

[illegible] presented a petition of merchants and [illegible] of San Francisco, in favor of the passage of [illegible] providing payment of the claims for war [illegible] by the board of Alabama claims commission [illegible] to the judiciary committee.

[illegible] the morning hour the Senate resumed the [illegible] of the resolution for the admission of [illegible] to the Senate from Louisiana.

[illegible] spoke in opposition to his admission [illegible] that Pinchback had no prima facie case [illegible] he could be seated.

[illegible] and there was but one thing upon [illegible] the question turned, and that was whether the body which assumed to elect Pinchback [illegible] the lawful legislature of Louisiana or not. If [illegible] the lawful legislature, then Pinchback [illegible] was entitled to his seat. If they did not, then [illegible] not be admitted. Thurman then referred [illegible] decision of the Supreme Court of Louisiana [illegible] the question now before the Senate was for [illegible] to decide, and any decision of any court [illegible] Supreme Court of the United States [illegible] have any influence in the matter. The Senate [illegible] the exclusive judge of election and qualifications of its own members. In conclusion, he said [illegible] changing circumstances in [illegible] could not change legal opinions. Were the [illegible] to appeal to choose between Republicans and Democrats as if they were sitting as [illegible]. If the Senate would stand by the [illegible] which induced them to vote for the Caldwell bill, he would promise them that there [illegible] be a result which would be in accordance with [illegible] the dignity of the Senate.

[illegible] spoke against the admission of Pinchback [illegible] in favor.

[illegible] the discussion, the Senate went into executive session, and when the doors reopened adjourned.

House.

The following bills were introduced and referred:

By Money, a resolution of the Louisiana legislature for an appropriation to construct the levees of the Mississippi river.

By Sayler to secure homesteads [illegible] public lands.

By Fort, declaring the birthday of Abraham Lincoln a national holiday and that [illegible] the national flag shall float at half mast [illegible].

By Bland, [illegible] legal tender [illegible] and make the [illegible] receivable half in legal tender notes [illegible] exemption act of the 14th of January [illegible].

[illegible] introduced by Luttrell [illegible] the Pending military reservation [illegible] California, subject to [illegible] entry.

By Gause—To provide a government [illegible].

By Lawrence—To give a right of action for injury [illegible] in the sale of intoxicating liquors.

By Kidder—Resolutions of the Dakota legislature [illegible] organization of a new territory out of the [illegible] part of Dakota.

[illegible] may proceed to suspend the rules so that the House may proceed to vote separately on the following resolutions:

Resolved, That the constitutional authority of Congress to coin money and to regulate the value thereof and of foreign coins [illegible] which the authority to issue the paper of the government as money [illegible]; the constitution nowhere confers on Congress the power to issue in time of peace the promises [illegible] obligations of the government as legal tender in payment of debts.

Resolved, That any legislation touching the legal tender currency of the government should keep steadily in view the resumption of specie payment and should tend to enhance the value of that currency for the redemption of which the faith of the United States has been pledged to its citizens.

Cox of New York—That is a very important subject; we ought to have a word to say about it.

He moved the proposition ought to be divided.

The Speaker—The gentleman from Iowa proposes that it will be divided.

Cox—I hope it will be referred to the committee on banking and currency.

Kasson—If the vote be in the negative it will be a rejection of the resolution.

The rules were not suspended—yeas, 86, nays 140, and the resolutions were not before the House.

Cox suggested to Kasson to have the resolutions referred either to the committee of ways and means or to the banking committee.

Kasson said he should be very glad to have them so referred. The matter went over without further action and Buckner from the judiciary committee reported back the Senate amendments to the bill to pay interest on the 3.65 bonds of the District of Columbia with a recommendation that they be nonconcurred in and that they be referred to a conference committee. He made that motion and it was agreed to. The Speaker appointed Buckner, Cate and Willard of Michigan, conferees on the part of the House.

Howe was appointed to fill the vacancy on the judiciary committee caused by the death of Starkweather and was excused from further service on the committee on elections and Townsend, of New York appointed to fill the vacancy on the committee of elections.

Pierce offered a resolution instructing the committee on foreign affairs to ascertain and report what action if any has been taken by the executive department of the government in relation to the connection of the United States minister at the court of St James with the directory of the so called Emma mine, and with the prosecution of the Machado claim. Adopted.

Bright offered a resolution instructing the committee on expenditures in the Treasury Department to make a careful and minute examination of the method adopted by the Treasury Department to print the bonds, notes and securities of the government, what guards have been adopted to prevent frauds or mistakes, whether there has been any fraudulent issues of notes, bonds or coupons, and, if so by whose guilt or negligence &c. Adopted.

Metcalf offered a resolution instructing the committee on expenditures in the public buildings to inquire as to the amount expended in the construction and completion of the New York postoffice. Adopted.

The House then went into committee of the whole, Haskins in the chair, on the consular and diplomatic appropriation bill and was addressed by Holman on the necessity of economy in public expenditures in reply to Monroe's argument last week. He advised to the suppression of the mission to Greece. He ridiculed the idea of attributing any great political importance to modern Greece. He quoted from the State dispatches the description given by the Minister to Greece of the religious ceremony on Easter Eve in which the King is mentioned as wearing the uniform of a general officer with the ribbon of his royal order on his breast, and the Queen as wearing white satin robes, which seemed to steal color from her cheeks." His friend should not indulge in such levity. This was a state paper that he was reading from, containing special dispatches sent to the state Department at the expense of the people.

Monroe said that if his friend inferred that because there were officers who lacked good sense, offices should be abolished, by the same reasoning, if half of what the newspapers said were believed, Congress itself ought to be abolished.

Holman continued his criticism of state papers, including a dispatch from Bingham Minister to Japan descriptive of his reception by the Emperor and Empress and summed up by declaring that this whole thing of diplomacy was a sham, an obsolete institution. The only exception he made was in the case of Washburne Minister to France, who he said, had rendered important service to mankind in the late French German war.

Garfield said he sympathized with the committee on appropriations in its laudable endeavors to cut down expenses. There were several places where expenses might be reduced such as fortifications, public buildings, etc. but he had been a little surprised to find the reductions proposed in this bill, because every intelligent man would admit the foreign service of the government both at home and abroad had been for years most economically conducted, most honestly managed and the most carefully kept up of any department of the government. He did not care very much about many of the missions that were proposed to be abolished. Perhaps some could be abolished without damage, but he should regard as a great calamity the abolition of the South American missions. In no part of the world had the United States so much right and so great a duty to be chief in council on international affairs as in South America, on one hand, and in Japan and China on the other and yet by a strange sort of fatality on the part of the committee on appropriations it was in these countries that our foreign relations were to be chiefly crippled. He would rather have five or six European missions blotted out than those of South American republics, our neighbors and friends. He besought the gentleman to strike somewhere else than at the South American republics.

Randall—We strike all around.

Garfield passed on to criticise the abolition of 21 regular consulates and other consular offices, making 44 in all, the chief ground of doing so being that there was not enough money received in fees from these consulates to justify the payment of consular salaries and he contrasted with this parsimony, the liberality of England, who receiving but $6,000 in fees from her consulates at the same ports paid out to her consuls there $81,290 a year. It was the same in regard to China and Japan. The total outlay of the United States for the Japanese mission and consulates was $[illegible] while that of England for the same service was $92,497. The total outlay of the United States in China over and above receipts was $9,000 while that of Great Britain was $85,697. He begged the House not to cripple and utterly ruin the young and growing commerce that should bind Asia to the United States. He criticised the details of the bill in other matters particularly in the reduction by half the allowances for expenses of sending back to the United States sailors from foreign ports and showed that the effect of the reduced appropriation would be not a saving, for the expenses would have to be paid, but a sending to protest the drafts drawn by consuls. At the close of Garfield's speech the committee rose and adjourned.

WASHINGTON CITY.

The Hawaiian Treaty.

Chicago Feb 7—The Times' Washington special says Mr Allen a native of the Sandwich Islands, is there working in the interest of the treaty with his government. This treaty provides for the entry into our ports of the products of the Sandwich Islands. It is well known to be a job in the interest of a few sugar planters in the Islands who have thus far through their own mismanagement lost money. The main argument here is, the people and their government is so friendly to ours that if we extend to them this class of favors they will naturally drift into our possession. There is much doubt whether these Islands would not cost more than they are worth to own them and to this members do not seem to have given attention. Mr Allen is very hopeful he will secure a favorable report from the ways and means committee some time this week. There is no more reason for the passage of this treaty with the Hawaiian Government than with any other foreign Government. The extradition is made from the interested motives that should be discountenanced in interest of a class, and cannot be of any value to this country. The Pacific sugar merchants will be driven out of the market.

Washington Feb 7—Fernando Wood has prepared a report with the bill from the committee of ways and means to carry into effect the convention between the United States and the Hawaiian Islands. He says the treaty is strictly commercial. The accompanying documents [illegible] statement from the Secretary of the Treasury showing the commercial transactions between the two countries for the five years last past, and showing a balance in favor of the Islands. Though the aggregate value in amount of the commerce between the two countries is not of great importance it is, however, interesting to know that the Islands buy from the United States a larger amount of our products in proportion [illegible] than we take from them than any other of the sugar or coffee producing countries. The [illegible] Treasury [illegible]. Agreeing with his predecessor [illegible] treaty of this character with the Hawaiian Islands [illegible] revenue measure [illegible] would not [illegible] was immediate [illegible] consideration [illegible] the commerce of the Pacific [illegible]. The [illegible] British government [illegible] control [illegible]. The Pacific states [illegible]. With the control which this treaty gives the United States [illegible] of the necessity of shipping heavy [illegible] ships of war which need coaling stations within easy reach. The Pacific coast, according to the opinion of Admiral Porter, cannot be attacked successfully from British Columbia or Mexico because in such case we could use our land forces to protect ourselves. The Hawaiian Islands are the [illegible] stations for all nations.

General Schofield speaks very decidedly on the subject and favors the treaty. He says he should consider it a serious misfortune to the United States for any other nation to obtain control of the Islands. For these and other reasons elaborately set forth in the report the committee of ways and means recommend the passage of the bill.

Tariff Bill.

Washington Feb 7—Morrison, chairman of the committee on ways and means says that in eight or ten days he will ask the committee to formally consider his tariff bill. He is in no hurry to pass it, wishing first to elicit public discussion of the subject. He had every reason to believe the committee will endorse the bill substantially and that the House will pass it.

Nominations Sent to the Senate.

Washington Feb 7—The President sent the following nominations to the Senate to-day: John J. [illegible] U S attorney for the southern district of Illinois; Seth S. Slater of Idaho, register of the land office at Lewiston, Idaho.

Members of the Court-Martial to Try Spaulding.

Washington Feb 7—The following is a full detail of the naval court martial to assemble at Mare Island on the 21st inst for the trial of Pay Inspector Rufus R. Spaulding: Rear Admiral John Rodgers (president), Rear Admiral S. D. Trenchard, Captain [illegible], Captain [illegible] Carter, Captain J. P. [illegible], Pay Director [illegible], Pay Inspector A. H. Gilman, Pay Inspector G. E. Thornton, Commander Silas Casey Jr, members; A. H. [illegible] judge advocate.

Sinking Fund of the Union and Central Pacific.

Washington Feb 7—The sinking fund propositions of the Union and Central Pacific railroad companies sent to Congress by the Secretary of the Treasury to-day are those which were submitted in February 1875, providing in each case for the creation of a sinking fund by the payment of certain fixed amounts into the United States treasury yearly, and also for the retention by the government of all amounts then or thereafter earned for government transportation. Secretary Bristow expresses an opinion that some such arrangement should be made but leaves it wholly to Congress to determine how and by what means and in what sums and what period the sinking funds should be obtained and applied. He intimates however that he considers the offers of the two companies inadequate. The Central Pacific proposed to pay $400,000 per annum and the Union Pacific $500,000 per annum for the first ten years, $750,000 for the next ten years and a million yearly thereafter.

Southern Pacific Railway.

In answer to the argument recently used that the Southern Pacific Railway Company would not build a road even if authorized so to do a reply is made that Mr Huntington has offered to have a road to Rio Grande in three and a half years and has assurances from strong companies to have the line from New Orleans there to meet it and is willing to put up good and sufficient security in the treasury.

Senate Confirmation.

Washington Feb 7—The Senate confirmed the nomination of Levi Dagit as coiner in the mint in Carson City Nevada.

Bills Introduced.

Washington Feb 7—A bill to provide for the transmission of correspondence by telegraph was introduced to-day by Representative Luttrell of California, by request. It is substantially a copy of the so called Hubbard postal telegraph bill as reported with amendments by the Senate committee on postoffices early last Congress but which made no further progress. There are, however, some changes in the list of the proposed incorporators of the postal telegraph company contemplated by the bill. Among those now named are Gardiner G. Hubbard, Frank Davis and Estes Howe of Massachusetts, Richard D. Rice of Maine, Henry C. Murphy and Richard A. McCurdy of New York, David Brooks and Joseph B. Baker of Pennsylvania, P. R. Watson of Ohio, W. H. English of Indiana, F. W. Palmer, A. S. Wildman and Martin Beeme of Illinois, Chas. A. Sumner, James M. Basset and John Downer of California, Anthony Pollock and M. V. Davis of the District of Columbia.

Representative Woodburn introduced a bill appropriating $200,000 to increase the coinage capacity of Carson mint.

Delegate Stevens introduced a bill to repeal the law allowing the governor of Arizona absolute power and to provide that the legislature assembly by a vote of two thirds, may enact measures without his signature. Stevens also introduced bills appropriating $50,000 for a capitol and $250,000 for a penitentiary for Arizona.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

English Money Market.

London, Feb 7—The rate for money at the Stock Exchange on government securities is 3½ per cent.

Biscay and Navarre Abandon Don Carlos.

Madrid, Feb 7—It is stated that the Biscayan and Navarrese provincial deputies have told Don Carlos not to expect any further aid from them.

Snow in Spain.

There was a heavy snowstorm in Navarre and Guipuzcoa yesterday.

Carlists Deserting.

London Feb 7—A dispatch from Durango reports that several hundred Carlists have deserted during the last few weeks. Gen Quesada holds every avenue into Alava and Biscay. Don Carlos is at Tolosa with a large force of artillery and 20 battalions, facing Gen Morlones, but bad weather prevents an advance.

Carlists Driven from Durango.

Madrid, Feb 7—Official dispatches announce that General Quesada has driven the Carlists from Abadian near Durango, after a sharp engagement. Seventy more Carlists submitted in Navarre.

Basis of the Decision of the Sublime Porte on Reform.

Berlin Feb 7—The Sublime Porte circular in regard to the reforms promised in northern provinces mentions as a basis of its decision, not only the negotiations with Austria, Russia and Germany but also the support of the scheme by other guaranteeing powers.

The Reported Negotiations for a Cession of Turkish Territory Denied.

St Petersburg Feb 7—Negotiations between Turkey and Montenegro for the cession of territory to the latter are officially denied, but it is stated it is necessary for Montenegro to find increased pasture lands. Turkey offers a prospect for satisfying this requirement at an opportune moment but a settlement of such special questions now would complicate the general issue.

Union of Insurgent Forces in Herzegovina.

London Feb 7—A special dispatch to the Times from Cattaro says the Herzegovina leaders Peko and Socica have united their bands in the district of Zubci and are now organizing their forces and preparing for future operations. Socica will probably be made commander in chief. Typhus fever has broken out among the refugees in Grahovo and Belopawlija.

Roumania Refuses to Pay Tribute to Turkey.

London Feb 7—The Pesti Naplo journal publishes the following: The Sublime Porte on account of its financial difficulties having recently requested Roumania to pay her customary tribute in advance Roumania has sent a note in reply declaring that the treaties stipulate that tribute is payable only in return for obligations assumed by Turkey to defend Roumania from foreign invasion. The Porte has however shown itself incapable of quelling the insurrection. The Roumanian government is convinced it can no longer rely on Turkey for protection. Therefore obligation to pay tribute is at an end. Roumania moreover complains that the Porte has concentrated troops at Widin and sent ships up the Danube under the false pretext that the threatening attitude of Servia rendered such measures necessary. Roumania is consequently compelled to take measures to protect her frontiers. The note concludes with the declaration that Roumania as an independent state will resist every attempt to occupy her territory or to march foreign troops through it.

Union of the English Ritualistic Clergy with Rome.

London Feb 7—Cardinal Manning writes to the Times to-day stating that the telegrams from Rome that he intends to proceed thither to promote the union of that portion of the English ritualistic clergy with the Roman Catholic Church and that he had made proposals to the Vatican looking to that end are both from first to last wholly devoid of truth. He proceeds as follows: No scheme whatsoever on the subject of ritualism has ever been conceived by me. None has been to my knowledge proposed, opposed or defended at Rome.

Spanish Elections.

The Times publishes a letter from Seville this morning which contains the following details of the recent elections in Spain for members of the new Cortes: The frauds and intimidations practiced by the government in their conduct of the elections have done more to destroy confidence and [illegible] in the provinces than can possibly be estimated. Not only was whole [illegible] practiced but voting papers were forged by thousands. In one town in Andalusia the liberals presented a protest [illegible] six persons were immediately imprisoned. [illegible] were sent to [illegible]. In other places [illegible] hinder the voters. In some [illegible] the voting [illegible] houses were only given to known partisans of the ministry.

Eminent Journalist Expelled from Austria.

A Times Berlin special says that Dr Levysohn, an eminent [illegible] journalist and the Vienna correspondent of several newspapers, including the [illegible], Dr Levysohn well known [illegible], has been expelled from Austria charged with disseminating intelligence unfavorable to the realm. In a letter to Prince Auersperg, the Austrian prime minister, Dr Levysohn charges the premier with ordering his expulsion in order to prove his indifference to the opinions of persons at Berlin who have been endeavoring to keep Prince Auersperg in office [illegible] the semi-official Provincial Correspondenz already sent by cable, in which apprehensions are stated to be felt of serious estrangement between Germany and Austria.

European Markets.

London, Feb 7—The Mark Lane Express in its weekly review of the grain markets for the past week says the weather having been muggy and unfavorable to trade, prices generally declined about one shilling per quarter in consequence of the deteriorated condition. Home deliveries are still short. Compared with last year business has been heavy and imports rather less and will probably continue to diminish until the prices improve. At Paris flour declined a franc. In Germany the markets have rather improved while in Belgium and Holland they are dull and unchanged.

Business Failure.

London Feb 7—It is reported that J. and G. Henderson & Co. grain merchants of Liverpool have suspended. Liabilities $1,500,000. Assets are [illegible].

Failure of J. & G. Henderson Denied.

London Feb 7—The report of the failure of J. & G. Henderson & Co. of Liverpool is pronounced untrue.

United States Funded Loan.

The market is bare of the new U S 5 per cents, the funded loan.

No Change of Ministers as Reported.

Vienna Feb 7—The Journal contradicts the rumors of a change of the Cisleithan ministry and states that Count Taaffe was not recently received by the Emperor as has been asserted.

War in Spain.

St Jean de Luz Feb 7—Thirteen Carlist battalions under Gens. Caserta and Perula are concentrated near [illegible] and San Estaban to defend Vera.

The Prussian Government to Take Charge of the Railways.

The Post's Berlin special says the Prussian cabinet have decided to push the transfer of Prussian state railways to the Empire, and it is hoped that the arrangement will be ratified before the close of the present session of the Reichstag.

The Forthcoming Queen's Speech.

London Feb 8—The Times, in a leading article says the measures to be announced in the Queen's speech on the reopening of Parliament will include a merchant shipping bill, a bill extending the new system of judicature to Ireland, and the reconsideration of the acts now in operation in England where the question of appellate jurisdiction of the House of Lords is still undecided. A royal commission will be promised to inquire into the fugitive slave question. Among other subjects to be mentioned is England's relations with China. There has been a chance of war with China which may not have entirely disappeared. Her Majesty will announce the happy end of the Malay war. Burmah will also be alluded to. The most important part of the speech will refer to Eastern affairs. The intimation of continued friendship with the foreign powers will doubtless have its usual place and in these days it would be too much to say such unbroken concord is a matter of course. It is said the opposition intend to propose a specific resolution concerning the purchase of the Suez Canal shares not as an amendment to the address, but in a separate form; a powerful oratorical onslaught is expected to be made on the government for that transaction. The government in the debate on the address to-night, will also be severely censured by the opposition speakers for the fugitive slave circular of the admiralty. The Daily Telegraph says Gladstone will not participate in the debate on the address.

The Report that Germany Declined to Make a Representation to Spain about Cuba is Incorrect.

London Feb 8—A special from Berlin says the report that Germany declined to make any representations to Spain with regard to Cuba is incorrect. The German government has not answered the communication of the United States, which did not require or invite an answer, but there is every reason to believe that Germany is not unwilling to impress upon Spain the justice of the American complaints and the advisability of making some redress.

Bible Society Meeting at Rome.

A dispatch from Rome to the News says the inaugural meeting of the British Foreign Bible Society was held yesterday at the American church on the La Condetti. English, Scotch and American Protestants were present.

Burial Refused.

Cuneo an old friend of Garibaldi, recently died in Florence without receiving extreme unction, the clergy consequently refused the remains christian burial. Garibaldi writes to his friends advising cremation.

Mr. Motley Invited to a Great Historical Fete.

London, Feb 8—A dispatch to the Daily Telegraph from Brussels says the common council of Antwerp decided to invite Mr Motley, the historian of the Dutch Republic, to a great historical fete in honor of the patriots of the 16th century.

UTAH.

Chief-Justice White's Charge Concerning Polygamy.

Salt Lake, Feb 7—Chief Justice White in charging the grand jury to-day concerning polygamy, said: "We had better look it squarely in the face, distasteful as it may be to some and govern ourselves by right reason, and manly discretion in dealing with it. Polygamy must be suppressed in this Territory. Mormonism may survive it, and relieved from it would stand unshackled and free as every other creed or mode of religious worship, shielded and protected by the constitution of our common country. But if Mormonism cannot sever itself from polygamy it will be to it the bridal of death."

A correspondent of the N. Y. Herald says Stokes, the murderer of Jim Fisk, is going blind; that all his elasticity and dash, and nerve were gone, and to me he looked a broken man in every respect but one and that was in the eye. Stokes' hair is a perfect gray, not one black hair left and it is slowly turning from gray to white. His features are rimmed with black whiskers and above his upper lip is a heavy black moustache. This contradiction is explained by the fact that no more feverish and tormented brain has beaten in the world for four years past than that which is located under the uniform prison cap of Edward Stokes. His has been a sad fate indeed. His brother Clinton and his father, both

DEAD OF BROKEN HEARTS,

his wife divorced and living in a foreign land and his beautiful daughter, now in the very budding of maidenhood, also in a strange land. All these have made a wreck of the dashing Broadway dandy of five years ago, who paid a yearly sum of $2,000 to a Union Square fashionable tailor to keep him dressed and to send him all the new things in coats, vests and trousers.

I walked up stairs into the hospital wards at the invitation of Stokes, who keeps the books of this department, and who has already learned to write prescriptions and doctor the prisoners a little when business is crowding the regular practitioner.

"Well" answered Stokes with a weary smile "this isn't Delmonico's by half a mile. They say I have luxuries here gorgeous as a Sultan" (with a laugh quite metallic)

I DON'T SEE ANY LUXURIES,

Do you? This is the bed I sleep on, and it is nothing but straw." Here Stokes lifted up the coverlid of coarse check stuff and wanted me to sound the straw bed, which I did. "The doctor allows me an easy chair when I have a fit of the asthma and by the courtesy of the prison authorities who have treated me as kindly as they were allowed to I have the use of books. You can see what they are. I do all the reading I can, for it is good company and I have read a great deal of poetry. That is a favorite book of mine (taking up Charles A. Dana's Household Book of Poetry). There are good things in it. You should read it yourself. But I am

LOSING MY EYESIGHT

I have a cataract in my left eye and I can hardly see my hand before my face. It's hard here. I have lost so many of my family, and could not see them."

Forensic Eloquence.—The following was part of a young lawyer's peroration on argument of demurrer in one of our city courts recently: "May it please your honor this is a stupendous question. His decision by you this day will live in judicial history long after you and I shall have passed from this scene of earthly glory and sublunary vanity; when the tower of Pisa shall be forgotten; when Waterloo and Borodino shall grow dim in the distant cycles of receding centuries; when the names of Eugene, Marlborough and Napoleon are no longer remembered; when the pyramids of Pharaohs shall have crumbled into dust; when the hippopotamus shall cease to inhabit its native Nile; even then your ruling upon this demurrer will still survive in the antique volumes of legal lore as fresh, green and imperishable as a big Thompson grasshopper or a Colorado potato bug."—Denver News.

The Greeley Sun says: "On account of it being the week of prayer, the evening school was dismissed," etc. But how could the evening school be the week of prayer?

JUDGE DEADY'S CHARGE TO THE JURY ON THE TRIAL OF JENNY MONTGOMERY

U. S. District Court—District of Oregon

Friday, Dec 28 1875

The United States v. Sarah Jane Montgomery—Indictment for receiving and concealing stolen property

Deady, J.

Gentlemen of the Jury: The indictment in this case is founded upon § 5,470 of the R. S. which among other things provides that any person who shall receive or conceal or aid in concealing any article of value knowing the same to have been stolen or embezzled from the mail of the United States shall be punishable by a fine of not more than $2,000 and by imprisonment at hard labor not more than five years.

The reason and necessity of such a statute is apparent. The postoffice is one of the principal departments of the government. Upon the security and celerity with which the mails are carried and delivered throughout the country depend to a great extent the preservation of the business and social relations of the people.

Upon the long established maxim that "A receiver is as bad as a thief," the statute has also provided for the punishment of persons who assist others in stealing or embezzling from the mails by receiving the stolen property or concealing it or aiding in concealing it substantially in the same manner as the thief himself.

By this indictment the defendant is accused in different modes or counts of receiving, concealing and aiding in the concealing of three cans of gold dust, of the aggregate value of $1,810, the same having been stolen from the mails of the United States to the knowledge of the defendant in October 1874 near Canyonville. But these 17 counts only charge one crime—that of receiving, concealing and aiding in the concealing of the stolen dust under the circumstances stated, and the proof of receiving, concealing or aiding in concealing is sufficient to establish the guilt of the defendant.

To this indictment the defendant has plead not guilty, and the effect of this plea is to put in issue or controvert all the material allegations of the indictment. This being so, the burden of proof is upon the United States to prove to your satisfaction each of such allegations before it can ask a verdict of guilty at your hands.

The defendant stands before you as a *person* charged with the commission of a grave crime, and the fact that she is also a woman and a mother, does not change the rules of law or the duties of jurors in such cases. In determining the question of her guilt or innocence you are not to be swerved by any sympathy for her sex or condition, but you are to say truly, whether she is guilty or not as charged, irrespective of such considerations or the consequences to her or others that may follow your verdict.

Of course, the fact that the defendant is a woman may be more or less material in judging of her conduct and motives in fleeing the country as she did with Harmison, the party who appears to have stolen this dust and had it in his possession. In considering their relations and intimacy upon the question of whether this stolen dust was received or concealed by her or her aid, you may properly consider the fact of the difference in their sex—that they were traveling and cohabiting together as man and wife, with trunks and other traveling gear in common.

The indictment charges that the defendant and Harmison both committed this crime, without alleging whether it was done jointly or severally, and counsel for defendant now insists that neither party can be found guilty of a separate receiving under such a charge. Waiving the consideration of that precise question, as not being material to the present aspect of the case, the fact being that Harmison has been discharged from this indictment upon his plea of autrefois convict, the defendant is now being tried upon it alone and may be found guilty under it of committing the crime therein charged, separately.

Before the defendant can be found guilty of the charge in the indictment the United States must show that the gold dust in question was stolen or embezzled from its mails. The record of Harmison's conviction in this court of the crime of stealing three similar cans of gold dust from the mails, has been introduced in evidence. This is sufficient evidence of the fact until the contrary appears, it being also shown or proven to your satisfaction that the property mentioned in the two indictments is the same. It must also be shown that the defendant knowing it to have been so stolen or embezzled, received it from the thief or concealed or aided the thief or some one else in concealing it.

To constitute a guilty receiving of stolen property by the defendant, it must appear that she voluntarily took it into her control and possession, or voluntarily had it in her possession and control with intent to prevent the larceny or the thief from being discovered or the property from being reclaimed by the true owner or for his benefit, but it need not appear that she received it with intent to make any gain or profit thereby to herself.

A guilty concealing also implies that the defendant voluntarily secreted this dust or put it out of the way, or in some manner disposed of it with a like intent as in the case of receiving.

To aid in concealing stolen property a party must do some act with intent to assist the thief or other person, then in the guilty possession of the property, in concealing it, or furtively disposing of it with a like intent as in the case of receiving.

The possession of property by the defendant for which the stolen gold dust was exchanged—as for instance, gold coin for which it may have been exchanged by Harmison at the Philadelphia mint—will not support the charge in the indictment. The possession of such coin would not be the possession of the stolen property and would not of itself tend to prove the defendant guilty of the charge in the indictment. But if the stolen dust was made into coin this circumstance would not change its identity and the possession of such coin would be the possession of the stolen property.

But this cannot be a material question in this case, because it is admitted that if this dust was changed into or for coin by Harmison, it was done at the Philadelphia mint. Now, the defendant cannot be convicted of the crime charged in the indictment upon proof of receiving, concealing or aiding in concealing this dust or the coin into which it may have been changed beyond this district—without the State of Oregon.

Evidence has been given to you in regard to the conduct and declarations of Harmison and the defendant beyond this district during their journey to Texas and back again but only for the purpose of throwing light upon their acts and conduct while in this district.

It being incumbent on the United States to show that this dust was stolen from the mails instead of introducing the record of Harmison's conviction of the theft in the first instance the prosecution saw proper, as it had the right to do, to go into the original proof of the fact. In so doing the acts and declarations of Harmison both within and without this State tending to prove that the larceny was committed by him have been given to you. But you are to remember that this evidence was only received for the purpose of proving the theft of the property and that the defendant is not to be affected by the acts or declarations of Harmison only so far as it appears the former were known to her or the latter were made to her or in the presence and assented to by her.

Although you should find that the defendant knew from Harmison or otherwise that this dust had been stolen from the mails that itself is not sufficient to convict her of the crime charged. And, in this connection it may be material for you to consider the sex of the defendant for the purpose of determining whether her flight and subsequent association with Harmison was as his accomplice in the crime or his paramour. Proof that the defendant fled the country with the thief as his wife is not sufficient to sustain the charge in the indictment. A woman who deserts her husband and flees the country with another man who has committed a larceny ought not to complain if a jury finds her guilty of receiving or aiding in concealing the property stolen by her paramour upon circumstances which would be deemed insufficient in the case of an honest woman. But you are not to convict the defendant of the crime charged in the indictment because she appears to have been guilty of the crime of adultery. The defendant's illicit relation with Harmison may have afforded her favorable opportunities and offered strong temptations to assist him in concealing the fruits of his crime, but it is not sufficient of itself to establish the fact that she did so assist him.

But, whatever her conduct or condition, the law presumes that the defendant is innocent of the crime charged against her until the contrary is proven beyond a reasonable doubt. In this respect, and so far as the crime charged in the indictment is concerned, she stands before the law as the peer of any woman however virtuous or honorable. This presumption of innocence is the shield which the law interposes between her and her accusers, and it cannot be thrust aside or beaten down except by the force of evidence which shall satisfy your minds, beyond a reasonable doubt, of her guilt.

A reasonable doubt is a substantial one—not a mere whim, caprice or speculation. It arises out of the case from some defect or insufficiency in the evidence which makes a juror hesitate and feel that he is not satisfied. Mathematical certainty is not attainable in criminal trials. If you are morally certain of the defendant's guilt you should say so by your verdict, but unless you are, however you may suspect it, you must say not guilty.

You are the judges of the credibility of the witnesses and the weight to be given to their testimony.

The evidence of Cardwell tending to show that the defendant attempted to suborn him to swear falsely on the trial of Harmison was admitted without objection, but it is my duty to say to you that it is not relevant or competent proof of the crime charged in this indictment. It may tend to show that the defendant was willing to run any risk or even commit a crime to save her paramour from conviction and punishment, but it does not prove that she committed the crime for which she is on trial.

Montgomery, the late husband of the defendant, is contradicted by several witnesses and by the reporter's notes of his testimony on Harmison's trial. Besides it appears from his own evidence that he knew of the theft soon after it was committed, in October, 1874 and had had the gold dust in his buggy and in his house without disclosing the fact. Besides, Cardwell, a witness called by the prosecution, testifies that Montgomery saw him at Canyonville, about the time the warrants were sworn out for Harmison and the defendant, and urged upon him the necessity of their—that is, Montgomery and Cardwell making up a good story about the robbery, and sending Harmison and the defendant up.

Upon this trial he testified that when Harmison left this dust for him at the tollhouse the defendant said he was foolish not to take it, when he spoke of their little child, and said it would ruin them. Upon cross-examination he stated that he testified to this conversation on Harmison's trial, but it appears from the reporter's notes that he did not. The witness was the husband of the defendant, and she deserted him for Harmison. He may entertain unkind feelings towards her on this account, and he may desire, as he said to Cardwell, according to the latter's testimony, to "send her up."

All these circumstances go to affect the credibility of this witness.

What weight shall be given to his testimony you must judge, always remembering that a witness who is intentionally false in a material part of his testimony ought to be at least distrusted, as to the rest of it.

The postal agent, Mr. Underwood, who acted as deputy marshal in pursuing and arresting Harmison and the defendant at Seguin, Texas, and bringing them here for trial, testifies to conversations and confessions of the defendant all along the route from there here. This kind of testimony should be received with caution. The witness testified in a very indefinite manner as to the time and place of these conversations—giving them apparently in his own language and not always in the same words. After being on the stand one afternoon, and apparently going over the whole subject he came back the next morning and testified to important conversations with the defendant in Texas, and between there and St Louis, which he had not stated the day before, or apparently remembered. Besides, in stating a material part of a particular conversation, he first said she used the word *they*, and afterwards said she used *we*—a change which makes a material difference in the sense and effect of the admission. I make these suggestions not by way of calling in question or casting doubts upon the integrity of the witness, but that his testimony may be received with due caution. Apparently this prosecution was set on foot by him, and he has since been earnestly engaged in the arrest of Harmison and the defendant and the pursuit of evidence to secure their conviction, and he is liable to be unconsciously influenced by his zeal in the premises and the very natural desire of success in what he has undertaken.

Upon the subject of verbal confessions, I read to you as a part of my charge, from 1 Green Ev §§ 214 215 as follows:

"The evidence of verbal confessions of guilt is to be *received with great caution*. For, besides the danger of mistake, from the misapprehension of witnesses, the misuse of words, the failure of the party to express his own meaning, and the infirmity of memory, it should be recollected, that the mind of the prisoner himself is oppressed by the calamity of the situation, and that he is often influenced by motives of hope or fear to make an untrue confession. The zeal, too, which so generally prevails, to detect offenders, especially in cases of aggravated guilt, and *the strong disposition in the persons engaged in the pursuit of evidence* to rely on slight grounds of suspicion, which are exaggerated into sufficient proof, together with the character of the persons necessarily called as witnesses in cases of secret and atrocious crime, all tend to impair the value of this kind of evidence and sometimes lead to its rejection when in civil actions, it would have been received. The weighty observation of Mr Justice Foster is also to be kept in mind that this evidence is not in the ordinary course of things, to be disproved by that sort of negative evidence by which the proof of plain facts may be and often is, confronted.

Subject to these cautions in receiving them and weighing them, it is generally agreed, *that deliberate confessions of guilt* are among the most effectual proofs in the law. Their value depends on the supposition that they are deliberate and voluntary and on the presumption that a rational being will not make admissions prejudicial to his interest and safety, unless when urged by the promptings of truth and conscience. Such confessions, so made by a prisoner to any person, at any moment of time and at any place subsequent to the perpetration of the crime and previous to his examination before the magistrate are at common law received in evidence, as among proofs of guilt."

The only direct evidence in the case which brings the defendant into what might be considered possession of this dust, in Oregon is that of Montgomery, concerning the dust being left at the toll house near Canyonville where he and she lived in the spring of 1875. According to his account he came home one day and found his wife, the defendant, lying on the lounge in the front room when she laughed and said "Dan Smith (Harmison) has been here and left you a present." He asked what it was and she replied by rising up and leading him into the back room, and pointing him to a sack in the potato box. He put his hand into the sack, felt the cans of dust and drew one of them in sight when he said, "It is the d—d infernal dust! Give it back to him and have nothing to do with it." The defendant urged him to keep the dust but he declined saying it would be the ruin of them, when she promised to return it and Montgomery never saw it afterwards. Upon this evidence assuming it to be true, I do not think as a matter of law that the defendant was then and there guilty of the crime charged in the indictment. A package is brought to the house and left with her for her husband which she delivered to him, and he refuses to accept it, and directs her to return it to the person who brought it which she does. This alone does not make her guilty of receiving, concealing or aiding in the concealing of stolen property, even if we assume, as is probable that she knew these cans of dust had been stolen from the mails. And although it was wrong to advise her husband to take it—if she did—yet she did not thereby commit the crime with which she is charged.

Gentlemen of the jury, the case is now submitted to you to say upon your oaths under the law and evidence given you in court whether the defendant is guilty or not. Take the law so given you and apply it to the facts, as you may find them from the evidence and make up your verdict accordingly.

Rufus Mallory and *Joseph N. Dolph*, for the United States.

William H. Effinger, *Richard Williams* and *James D. Fay*, for defendant.

The jury after an absence of half an hour returned into court and gave a verdict of "Not guilty," and the defendant was discharged.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

CALIFORNIA.

San Francisco Stock Market.

San Francisco, Feb. 7.—Ophir 59¼, G & C 20¾, Mexican 19½, B & B 58¾, Savage 19½, Exchequer 12½, Overman 59½, Justice 27½, Succor 2¼, Union Con 9½, Lady Bryan 3½, Julia 14½, Caledonia 3¼, Utah 18, S Hill 1¼, Chollar 84, H & N 47½, Crown Point 21¾, Imperial 8½, Jacket 102, Empire Mill 5½, Kentuck, 12½, Alpha 23¾, Belcher 33½, Confidence 19¾, S Nevada 19¾, California 83½, Con Virginia 421.

Evening Board—Valley 3½, Raymond & Ely 22½, Eureka Con 16, Jackson 2½, Alps 6, Adams Hill 1½, Jefferson 6½, Gila 2⅝, Cherry Creek 2, Leopard 12½, Belmont 1½, Newark 25c, Panther 2½, N Belle 30, Hussey 1½, Gen Thomas 9½, Advance 8½, Coso Con 95c, S Charlot 50c, G Charlot 2, Empire Idaho 60c, Poorman 50c, Eclipse 5, Dayton 6¾, Rock Island 3½, Pictou 75c, New York 1½, Woodville 2½, Occidental 4, Senator 1, N Con Virginia 1½, Prospect 4½, Morning Star 5½, W Belcher 2¾, Sullivan 1½, Kossuth 3½, Andes 3½, Seg Caledonia 1½, Mint 50c, Wells Fargo 23c, Leviathan 1, Columbia 87c, Trojan 1½.

Legal tenders, 88¾c buying, 89½c selling.

Weather in San Francisco.

San Francisco, Feb 7.—It is blowing heavily from the south this morning. Some rain has already fallen, and a storm is expected which will probably be general throughout the State. It is snowing heavily at Yreka and raining at Marysville, with indications of rain at Sacramento and throughout the southern portion of the State. It is cloudy and snowing in the mountains.

Accused of Embezzlement.

San Francisco, Feb. 7.—A. D. Splivalo, a prominent Italian business man of this city, is accused by the Italian Benevolent Society of having embezzled the funds of the society to the amount of $80,691.

Libel Suit Commenced against DeYoung & Co.

Peter T. Seculovich commenced suit to-day in the 3d district court against Charles De Young & Co., to recover $5,000 damages for an alleged libel published in the *Chronicle* of February 5th, 1875: The publication related to a divorce suit to which Seculovich was a party.

Loss of a Fishing Boat and Four Men.

The fishing boat *The Lorella*, Capt. Bernard, with three men, was lost on last Wednesday near the Farallones, on her way to San Francisco with a full cargo of fish.

Boat Capsized—One Man Drowned.

On Friday last, a boat containing eight men, was capsized in the estuary at Oakland. All were rescued except William Sullivan, who was drowned.

Arrival of the City of Sydney at Panama.

A dispatch from Panama, announces the arrival at that port of the *City of Sydney*, one of the new steamers of the Pacific Mail Company, on her way to San Francisco. As soon as she arrives here she will be placed on the Australian line.

Fell from the Masthead.

One of the sailors belonging to the *Donna Castle*, named Leadbeater, fell from the royal masthead to the deck at noon on Saturday, and was instantly killed. The deceased was a native of Maryland, aged 22 years.

Funeral of Controller Mandeville.

Sacramento, Feb. 6.—The ceremonies connected with the funeral, to-day, of the late State Controller, Hon. J. W. Mandeville, were deeply impressive. The remains were brought to the Assembly chamber at 11 o'clock, where they lay in state until the afternoon, guarded by a detachment from the National Guard. At 2 o'clock Rev I. H. C. Bonte, of Grace church, read the burial service over the body. Senators Eakin, Howe, Finnin and Roach, and Assemblymen Berney, Archer, Ferral and Gelwicks acted as pall bearers. The cortege was of great length. A band preceded the military and played the funeral march on the way to the cemetery. Deceased was buried in the State plat.

W. B. C. Brown Appointed Controller in Place of Mandeville.

Sacramento, Feb 7.—The Governor this morning appointed W. B. C. Brown controller in the place of Mandeville, deceased, the appointment to hold until the next general election, which this year, on account of the Presidential campaign, occurs in November. Mr Brown will assume the duties of his office as soon as his bonds are filed.

The Mortgage Decision.

The mortgage decision by the Supreme Court has been the subject of considerable comment at the State Capital. It is stated that the mortgages cut off about $200,000,000 of taxable property, and there is talk in certain quarters of endeavoring to enact an income tax to provide for the deficiency. It is estimated that without a tax corresponding to the amount received from mortgages, the State levy next year will be 80 cents on $100 as against 60 for this year.

Weather at Los Angeles.

Los Angeles, Feb. 7.—The weather is cold and cloudy with indications of rain.

Temple & Workman's Bank.

The feeling among the creditors of Temple & Workman's bank is generally averse to throwing the institution into bankruptcy, and they are signing a petition to that effect.

Cerro Gordo Smelting Works to be Started again.

Advices from Cerro Gordo announce that preparations are on foot to start up the suspended smelting works at that place.

Severe Rain Storm at Chico.

Chico, Feb. 7.—This is the most severe rain storm of the winter. It commenced raining at 5 o'clock this morning and continued steadily all day, and will continue all night. The wind is blowing hard.

Rain.

Snarysville, Feb 7.—Rain commenced falling about 11 o'clock this morning and continued almost steadily all day. It is still pouring hard with indications of a severe storm.

Marysville Feb 7.—A severe storm commenced this morning, and has continued without interruption during the day. The wind is strong from the southeast this evening, and indications are good for a continued storm.

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THE PLEA OF INSANITY

After all other pleas have been ineffectually tried by the counsel for a person charged with the commission of a grave offense that of insanity is confidently set up as a sure means of procuring the acquittal of the criminal In the case of Mr Landis of Vineland N J, now on trial for the murder of Mr Carruth the evidence shows that in consequence of some disparaging remarks affecting the character of Mr Landis wife published by Carruth Mr Landis armed himself with a pistol for the avowed purpose of killing Carruth and did kill him by shooting him through the head Carruth lived several months but finally died of the wound inflicted upon him by Landis

Upon the trial of this case, it was attempted to be shown that the doctors killed Carruth by injudiciously probing for the ball, that he was killed by drugs improperly administered,—and to prove this they have arrayed against each other the rival homœopathic and allopathic schools of medicine—and, finally, that Landis was insane and was not responsible for having shot Carruth

The theory set up is that the slightest taint of insanity renders a man irresponsible for his acts, and that Landis was thus tainted Landis was a man of great ability as a business manager and financier He bought a large tract of blowing sand barrens in the central part of New Jersey and in that unpromising locality with a degree of celerity, which made it seem like the work of magic, built a town induced people to go there to live and made the dreary wilderness blossom like a garden of roses If at any time prior to the shooting of Carruth, it had been intimated that Landis was tainted with insanity, the opinion would have been held to be sufficient evidence of the insanity of the man who uttered it, and the papers would have teemed with wishes that other men, besides Mr Landis, might be affected with similar idiosyncrasies But since the murder trifles which no one would ever have noticed, and which none would have considered sufficiently important to incapacitate him for the management of his estate, have been brought forward as proofs of a degree of insanity sufficient to render him incapable of the crime of murder, and to shield him from the penalty the law imposes upon the slayer of his neighbor If insanity is to be accepted as a sufficient plea to excuse criminals, at least there should be some rules set by which to understand what degree of insanity is required The N Y *Times* says on this subject, if it was understood that the general plea of insanity constituted no defense in criminal actions, but that a murderer, in order to secure an acquittal, must be found to be not only insane, but insane to such an extent and in such a manner as to render him unable to refrain from homicide, there would be an immediate decrease in the number of assassinations. Physicians perfectly well understand that a man may be insane in one particular direction, and sane in all other respects Criminal lawyers wholly disregard this distinction, and if they can show that a murderer is a monomaniac upon the subject of perpetual motion or flying-machines, they can secure his acquittal as an irresponsible lunatic. Has society a right to tolerate so wide an interpretation of the term insanity as to authorize any man who has ever shown the least particle of eccentricity—and that of a nature wholly unconnected with homicidal tendencies—to commit homicide whenever the impulse seizes him? If we adopt the theory that lunacy *per se* is not a valid answer to the charge of murder, but that unmistakable proof of homicidal tendencies too strong to be repressed must be shown, men who have had a distant relative in an insane asylum, or who have at times talked loosely and foolishly, will no longer feel that they can kill their enemies without any greater risk than that of passing a few months in a comfortable prison

OLD AGE.

An inquiry set on foot for the purpose of ascertaining how many persons there are now living, who were born in the United States prior to the year 1776, reveals the fact that the number of such persons is very small There are perhaps, not more than two or three.

It is not very uncommon to hear of centenarians, but when their history is examined into, it generally turns out that their age has been considerably exaggerated The constitution temperament and habits of American people are not favorable to longevity The great progress made by the nation has been at the expense of the health of the individuals composing it In their hurry to gain wealth—or to obtain political power Americans forget or disregard what is requisite for the enjoyment of a healthy life There is too much excitement—too much pressure—too much feverishness in American life The wear and tear on the system goes on uninterruptedly year after year, without sufficient time being allowed for rest and the restoration of wasted vital[illegible] At forty many men and most women, who are not wealthy are aged far beyond what they would have been if they had lived a calmer and less busy life

Whether length of days is desirable is a question about which all men are not agreed It is hard to grow old gracefully Old age rarely brings with it anything else than pain and grief and most persons shrink from the idea of being old with hardly less horror than they shrink from the idea of death Yet there are some old persons who have lost only the visible signs of youth—whose hearts are as young and whose temperaments are as bright and sunny as ever These have taken life easily have not striven for the unattainable nor exhausted everything, but [illegible] itself in the effort to pile up money to be left to others to spend or to acquire power to be resigned as soon as grasped "A quaintance with such as these makes us long for the serenity and peacefulness of those days in which the heat and burden of the day being past we shall linger in the cool of the evening surrounded by friends happy in their friendship and conscious of having spent life well

It is cheering to know that [illegible] a slight change has come over the habits of American business men and that more value is being set upon rest and enjoyment than formerly The science of living usefully and at the same time happily is being learned It is becoming understood that there are prodigalities and wastefulnesses more injurious than the expenditure of a few dollars and the consumption of a few hours in the pursuit of pleasure and the enjoyment of rest that labor after an interval of recreation is taken up with renewed vigor and the mind and body both are more able to accomplish their appointed tasks and that a moderate amount of time devoted to rest is not lost but is added to our lives and protracts the space of time allotted to us as well as makes life sweeter

Gen Babcock Attended by an imposing array of counsel, appeared in court in St Louis yesterday and pleaded not guilty to the indictments charging him with participation in the whisky frauds After he had pleaded the case was continued until to-day when an effort will be made to secure a jury Gen Babcock's principal counsel is Gen John K Porter of New York who was so prominent in the H W Beecher case

The New York Board of Trade have forwarded to Washington a memorial setting forth the dangers which would attend a resumption of specie payments before the condition of trade and commerce has become ripe for it It urges that the process of resumption should be slow and gradual An attempt to bring about an immediate change from paper to coin would result disastrously

The rats rarely leave a ship until it is about to sink then they abandon it in hot haste. The bark which bears the fortunes of Don Carlos is about to be overwhelmed and the people of Biscay and Navarre do not mean to be included among those who will go down with it The tune of the song sung by the Vicar of Bray is well known in Spain though different words may accompany it.

An important communication, with regard to the Hawaiian treaty was made to the House of Representatives yesterday to the effect that for military reasons we should not let this opportunity for obtaining the control of the Hawaiian Islands escape us Its value as a coaling station in time of war, is incalculable

If Mormonism will give up polygamy Mormonism may exist and will be protected—but if Mormonism clings to polygamy it will be a bridal of death—says Chief Justice White of Utah in his charge to the grand jury at Salt Lake yesterday

A proposition has been made for the formation of a new Territory out of a portion of Dakota The northern portion is to be cut off for that purpose The name of the new Territory has not yet been decided upon

Mr Pierce has offered a resolution asking that an inquiry be made into the connection of Minister Schenck with the directory of the Emma mine and also his connection with the Madhallo contracts

The Montenegrins want a horse pasture and to obtain it they must get it from Turkey They do not mean to take it but only intend to negotiate for it This is a distinction without a difference

Pinchback is still knocking at the door of the Senate But the Senators have not yet said, "You shall ente "

The British Parliament meets to-day.

A 'WHAT IS IT?'

CANYONVILLE Jan 30 1876

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN

The curiosity of the village has been very much excited for the last week over a small animal captured by Mr S W Barber, in the mountains near this place, and as yet no one has been able to give it a name with any certainty. It is a very beautiful little animal about 27 inches long, 15 inches of which is tail It is of a gray color, darker on the back white bands above the eyes, the under parts and face lighter color than the balance of the body The tail has bands or rings of black and white hair about an inch long and bushy fur, fine and soft, except the dark hairs on the back which are longer than the fur The head is round small erect ears nose long, and pointed eyes rather large, round and prominent It has become perfectly docile and as playful as a kitten but very restless It is a carnivorous animal and nocturnal in its habits I believe it to be the "ring tailed lemur," but it has more proportion of tail than is described in the Cyclopedia neither can I find that the lemur has been found on this continent This elegant little varmint is now the property of Mr Wm Spicer, mine host of the Overland hotel, of this place

I have written the foregoing description with the hope that some of your readers might be able to give us some information in regard to the species of this most beautiful little animal Mr Wood should procure it at once for his museum if Mr Spicer could be induced to part with it

A large herd of government horses at old Fort Hartsuff on Cedar creek near the line between Wyoming and Nebraska was taken in by a predatory band of Sioux Indians last week

REPUBLICAN STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE

A meeting of the Republican State Central Committee of the State of Oregon will be held in the City of Portland on Wednesday the 16th day of February 1876 at 1 o'clock P M A full attendance is requested

L S SCOTT Chairman

J F WATSON Secretary

COMMITTEE

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MARRIED:

In San Francisco Jan —, at St Patrick's Church Mission street by Rev Father Morrissey Denis M O Sullivan of San Francisco to Isadora Mary Silvester of Portland Oregon

NEW TO-DAY.

FURNISHED COTTAGE

FOR RENT OR SALE N W COR OF TENTH and Alder with immediate possession Apply to GEO H ANDREWS Office O S R R

All Wool Dress Goods. IN COLORS [illegible] reduction in price in order to reduce stock [illegible]
JOHN WATSON

MASKS! MASKS! MASKS! OF ALL KINDS [illegible] at YOCKERMAN'S DOLLAR STORE

A BARGAIN!

160 ACRES [illegible] MILES FROM TOWN [illegible] FOR SALE [illegible]

$5,000 TO LOAN ON PORTLAND REAL ESTATE [illegible]

IF YOU WISH TO PURCHASE A BOX OF FINE Cigars [illegible] First street [illegible]

BALANCE YET FOR SALE FOR A FEW DAYS LONGER

NORTH DOUBLE BLOCK [illegible] BETWEEN Eleventh and Twelfth [illegible] South Double Block [illegible] between Eleventh and Twelfth Taylor and Salmon [illegible] Terms [illegible] per cent [illegible] balance on time
ATKINSON & WAKEFIELD

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To clean up the stock
ALSO—A CHOICE LOT OF
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Having removed all their Stock to their large New **Store, 41 Front Street,**
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NOTICE

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE OREGON Bible Society will be held in the Baptist Church in this city on WEDNESDAY March 1st commencing at 10 o'clock A M with an evening meeting same day commencing at 7½ o'clock A sermon will be delivered in the morning and recital address in the evening All friends of the cause are cordially invited to be present
[illegible] BABBITT Secretary
Portland Feb 1 1876 f 1[illegible]

TO SHIP CARPENTERS, &c

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY CAPTAIN Smith on board the British ship City of Tanjore now lying at Astoria or at the British Vice Consulate, Portland for repairs of damages caused to the ship by collision with the tow [illegible] [illegible] particulars of repairs and [illegible] survey may be obtained from
JAMES LAIDLAW
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Notice to Butchers.

I HAVE ON HAND AND OFFER FOR SALE **One Hundred Head of Fine Fat Steers** from four to eight years old [illegible]
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Grand Masquerade
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To be given at
59 Front Street, between Stark and Oak,
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ADMISSION, $2 50.
PRIZES—Diamond Pin to the best Lady dancer and a Gold Watch and Chain to the best Gentleman dancer

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THIRTEENTH
ANNUAL BALL!
OF THE
Washington Guard,
To be given at the New
TURN HALLE,
Tuesday Evening, February 22, 1876.

Honorary Committee
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A N Gardner — A Sylvester
John A Crouch

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With a New and Fresh Stock of Fine
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I respectfully solicit the patronage of all my old friends and as many new as will favor me with custom. f1d1t

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A LARGE CONSIGNMENT JUST RECEIVED direct from Manufacturers.
Put up in Lots of $5, $10, $15, $20, $25 and $50;
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Keeps all kinds of
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On hand which she will sell [illegible]

WE DON'T ADVERTISE MUCH OR often but when we do WE MEAN WHAT WE SAY One of the firm will leave for New York on or about the 15th of February next All accounts due us remaining unsettled at that date will be placed in our Attorney's hands for collection Further comments unnecessary
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Patterns received direct from Paris every week The Ladies are invited to call and see the latest styles ja1 1tf

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THE EASTER TERM IN THIS SCHOOL WILL begin on
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Early application should be made for the admission of boarding pupils. ja5d [illegible]

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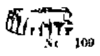
With Hatch & Thompson,
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REMOVAL.

DR. ALFRED KINNEY has removed his Office and Residence to the North west corner of Alder and East Park streets (double house), where he can be found at any time

REMOVAL.

DOCTOR W B. CARDWELL HAS REmoved his office to the corner of First and Morrison in the same office with Doctor J A Chapman He can be found at his office at all hours either day or night when not professionally absent

REMOVED.

DR STRONG HAS REMOVED TO THE RESIdence Corner of Fourth and Salmon streets where he may be found outside of office hours
Office as before No 5 Dekum's Building j21d1m

Save $40! Why Pay $80?
New Home Shuttle
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DON'T BUY before seeing the NEW HOME.
Light Running. Least Machinery. Warranted 5 Years
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ORDERS PROMPTLY FILLED Send for Circulars and New Price List.
AGENTS WANTED
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Manufacturers Agent
S W corner Morrison and Third streets
ja11d&wlmis Portland Oregon

PLUMMER FRUIT DRYER.

AS A PROOF OF WHAT I HAVE HERETOFORE stated to the people of Oregon I give below a letter from the Plummer Fruit Drying Co of East Portland After the close of business of 1875 fully endorsing it after using it one entire season and as a proof to substantiate what they say they now contemplate putting up another Dryer of the same capacity of the one they now have which will increase their capacity to five hundred bushels of apples per day Having now located here in Portland for the purpose of supplying the demand for Fruit Dryers in Oregon and Washington Territory I can supply these dryers at a cost of from $2 000 to $4 000 according to capacity Warranted to dry from 8 to 16 bushels of apples per hour at a small cost for labor and fuel These machines being so cheap and simple in construction they cannot fail to supersede all other known machines I would also say to the fruit growers that I have invented a Machine (and am now waiting for a patent) that will cut and spread the fruit on the trays with a very small amount of labor I also have invented a Peach Parer that is on an entirely new principle paring soft as well as hard does its work well with great speed and slices and pits the fruit ready for the Dryer in the best possible manner and at a great saving in quantity of fruit.
W S PLUMMER Patentee
ja9d&wtf Portland Oregon

FRUIT DRYER TESTIMONIALS.

EAST PORTLAND, Jan 4th 1876
MR. W. S PLUMMER—*Dear Sir* As this is a time when all are much interested in Fruit Drying we think that in justice to you and for the information of the public it is but right and proper that we should give all the information that we can Now after having operated your Dryer during this season we feel warranted in saying that for the amount of money invested we still believe as we did from the start that *your* Dryer is the best Dryer yet introduced into this country The capacity of the Dryer we find to be about 8 (eight) bushels per hour The Dried fruit we claim to be as good as any though perhaps not as much bleached as the Alden Fruit and we are satisfied that we can produce Dried Fruit at less expense than the Alden The stockholders of our Company manifested their confidence in the Plummer Dryer at our meeting last Saturday by a unanimous vote to increase the capital stock $12,000 (twelve thousand dollars) for the purpose of adding one more Dryer to the present one and making other improvements for next season We will further say that we believe that by an improvement made by the patentee in the Heater and Fan that there will be an increase of capacity and a saving of Fuel
H HANSON President
J S NEWELL Secretary and Superintendent

EAST PORTLAND Dec 18, 1875
MR PLUMMER—*Dear Sir* I have been watching both the Alden and your Fruit Dryer the past season so as to determine which was the best Machine for drying Prunes I visited the Alden Dryer at Oregon City and examined the Prunes dried on that Machine and I have also examined several lots dried on your Machine at East Portland and my opinion is that your Dryer is far the best Machine for drying Prunes My reasons are these Your Machine dries them without bursting or cracking while I noticed that a great deal of the fruit dried on the Alden Machine was bursted open and after a Prune is bursted in drying, it is worthless for market as a Prune therefore I can recommend your Machine for drying Prunes or any thing else Yours truly
H W PRETTYMAN
Proprietor of Railroad Nursery

PORTLAND Jan 10 1876
MR W S PLUMMER—*Dear Sir* The Dryer purchased by us from you for the purpose of drying our Onions has now been in operation two months and does good work All those that have tried the product pronounce it the very best quality
Yours truly
[illegible]

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A GOOD HOTEL AND LIVERY STABLE IS greatly needed at Ilwaco and North Beach W T Parties desirous of investing will be furnished land upon very favorable terms
Apply to J D HOLMAN Portland

REDUCED RATES.

ONLY A FEW MORE LOTS AT ILWACO AND North Beach will be sold at the Reduced Rates and to parties only who intend building the present season Apply before 15th of February
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VERY DESIRABLE SITES FOR SALMON Fisheries and Tanneries for sale
Apply to J D HOLMAN Portland
And after 15th February at Ilwaco W T
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State Treasurer's Notice.

TREASURER'S OFFICE
SALEM [illegible] 1876

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THERE are funds in the State Treasury for the payment of the following warrants [illegible] [illegible] Interest on the above warrants will cease from this date.
Also funds are on hand for the payment of warrants [illegible]
A H BROWN
State Treasurer

State Treasurer's Notice.

TREASURER'S OFFICE
SALEM [illegible]

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A H BROWN
State Treasurer

MONEY TO LOAN ON APPROVED SECURITY [illegible] JOHNSON McCOWN & MACRUM Lawyers [illegible]

MOUNT HOOD.

WANTS.

WANTED

A WOMAN WHO IS A GOOD COOK AND CAPABLE of house keeping Eastern woman preferred Wages $[illegible] per month For particulars apply to [illegible] WADHAMS & CO

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SITUATION WANTED.

AN ACCOUNTANT WISHES A SITUATION AS Bookkeeper where it will be a permanent situation provided he gives satisfaction No objection to going into the country or to one of the Fisheries on the river Best references given in the city Terms reasonable Address X Y Z this office

TO LET.

TO RENT.

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FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—TO RENT.

HOUSE ON EAST SIDE THIRD STREET BETween Salmon and Main for rent and Furniture of a fine quality for sale cheap Also for sale a lot of Store Fixtures Including Shelves Counters, Mirrors, 2 fine Show Cases Stands &c. Also one fine Piano Any one desiring to locate in this city will hereby have a good chance to purchase the necessary furniture very cheap Please call and examine it between 2 and 4 P M for the next two weeks
MRS H [illegible]
[illegible]

FOR RENT,

A HOUSE CONTAINING 5 OR MORE ROOMS furnished or furniture for sale Address B Postoffice Portland, Ogn f3d1m

HOTEL FOR SALE,

IN OSWEGO SEVEN MILES ABOVE PORTland The Iron Works employ a large number of men and this Hotel is doing a good business If you are on the work economical industrious, hospitable accommodating and know how to keep a hotel this is a good opening For particulars see
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I HAVE FROM ONE TO THREE THOUSAND dollars to loan in sums to suit on approved security I will also Purchase Household Furniture and have on hand at present a fine Stecker Piano for Sale Parties interested will do well to call on
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$800 WILL BUY THE ONE AND ONE HALF story Dwelling House on the corner of Sheridan and Third streets Lot 50x100. Title perfect
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE UNdersigned will sell at private sale the South ½ of Lots 4 and 5 in Block No 40 in the City of Portland Oregon known as CREE'S BLOCK.
For terms of sale apply to
JOHN A CRAWFORD at Albany,
or JOHN CATLIN at Portland
Executors of Last Will and Testament of Wm. Cree deceased

Encourage Home Manufacture

MRS. BULGER

WOULD ANNOUNCE TO THE PEOPLE OF Portland and elsewhere that she has established a
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White and Colored Shirts and Children's Clothing.
Persons wishing a neat fitting and durable custom made Shirt as cheap as they can buy a common article, can leave their measure where a fit is always guaranteed
Farmers and workingmen that wear strong durable and roomy shirts will save money by calling and procuring a custom made article
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3,700 ACRES of prairie and light brush land with timber for farming purposes bounded by the Willamette river for four miles beautiful lake on the east boat landings all along the river, commencing four miles north of Salem—**all choice grain land**—the largest and most suitable body of land to be found in the Willamette valley to be purchased by a colony To be sold from $15 to $25 per acre This land will all be immediately resurveyed and can be sold in larger or smaller parcels to suit purchasers. It can be subdivided to the best possible advantage and I can offer any person or persons or a colony of persons desiring to purchase homes in the best part of the Willamette valley near the city of Salem and within reach of the best social advantages as well as most favorably located with respect to markets greater advantages on more favorable terms than they ever expect to realize again
Salem Nov 9 1875 THOMAS CROSS
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BLUE LICK
WHISKEY

BLUE LICK WHISKEY.

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FRONT AND ALDER STS PORTLAND

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THE UNDERSIGNED HAS ASSOCIATED WITH him [illegible] Mr M. Hexter [illegible]

NOTICE

ALL ACCOUNTS [illegible]

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ALL ASSOCIATIONS AND
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the Council Rooms on Saturday
at lock P M
The invitation is general, and
organized bodies will co-operate.
Committee

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ALL KINDS OF
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Portland Jan 10, 1876.

The Daily Oregonian.

SDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 8 1876

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Chas H Dexter Falstaff Geo Nunneyor Boss Tweed, in prison dress Josh Davis Dr Tip O Ii Charles Abrams His Cousin Allie Buchanan Broadway Swell Herman Isenberg Dr Eberhardt, Henry Elkchel Chief Joseph A Haer Louis XIV S P Hoefer Moor of Venice J H Huey, Jumping Jack Chas F Speck a benedictine D Marx Austrian Hussar G W Miller, Unk Weed Phillip Kerrigan, Midshipman, Isadore Gumpert, a well known street broker G Hegele, Peasant of the Black Forest A J Miller, Mexican Vaquero Geo King King George A O Yates Don Giovani, Louis Ifunder Flower Girl H Metzgar Charity Mrs Maud Hilton Mayor Mary P Smith Pocahontas Miss L Finck Aurora Miss Tolent, Clubs, Mrs R Buchanan Spades Cora B Parsons as the Oregon Base Ballist Mrs L Hyde Pioneer Goddess Mary Fleck eastern Star of the Night Mrs Holmes Chinese woman Miss Mary Dwyer Circus Equestrienne Mrs. C A Alisky, Bride of the Black Forest Sheila Olds Ballet Girl, Misses Hoffman and Auer Huntresses Besides those mentioned there were many others, but the lateness of the hour when obtained precludes an extended list The floor was densely crowded with maskers and every available space for spectators was occupied The masquerade was a success financially but in point of local and original costumes it was hardly up to expectations There were some very elegant costumes and quite a number of original but the majority lacked originality At 11 o'clock the judges, Messrs M D Wendenfeld Wm. Kapus and W H Andrus announced the list of

PRIZES

First—Ladies—A gold locket inlaid with pearls to Miss Mary Dwyer as Circus Equestrienne Gents—Morocco toilet, silver mounted to S P Hoefer as Othello

Second—Ladies—Silk fan embroidered with flowers, to Mrs Maud Hilton as a Mayor. Gents—Ivory handle cane, to Isadore Gumpert, as Street Broker

ARTICLES FOR THE CENTENNIAL.

PORTLAND, Feb 7, 1876

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN

Permit me to notify the people of Oregon that I have so nearly completed the collections of articles for the Centennial exhibit of this State, that I have now opened the room in the St Charles block, one door south of the hotel office, on Front street, where people can examine the collection free, after the morning of the 9th inst, from the hours of 10 A M to 5 P M of each day, till the 17th inst at which time the exhibit will be closed, the material packed, boxed and shipped for the Exposition in Philadelphia A cordial invitation to our citizens, to examine the collection, is given, and while we hold all articles free to look at, we wish it understood that articles must not be handled by visitors I have also made arrangements with the O & C. R. R, and the Oregon Central R R to bring people from other parts of the State, at half fare rates, who wish to visit the exhibit in Portland on the 16th inst A few articles for the collection, that have been promised have not yet been received, and we hope all such will be immediately forwarded to us in this city

A J DUFUR, Commissioner

Mr Dufur is in receipt of the following letter from Mr J Brandt Jr superintendent of the O & C R R Company, which will explain itself

HON A J DUFUR—*Dear Sir* We will run trains on the Oregon and California railroad as follows for the purpose of accommodating those who wish to visit Portland to see the articles intended for the Centennial Exhibition

Leaving Roseburg on our regular train on the 14th inst, which will bring all passengers south of Albany, only at half fare rates, tickets to be good to return on the 16th

North of Albany the half fare rate will only be good on Albany express train on the 15th and that day only The Oregon Central will also make half fare rate for that day

Yours truly J BRANDT Jr

CASSIAR INTELLIGENCE.

The following late news from these gold fields is collated from Victoria exchanges

Winter in all its grandeur has fairly set in The first snow fell on the 3d of November We have at present about 18 inches The cold has been very severe lately The thermometer indicated on the 10th 30 degrees below zero An ice floe came with a tremendous crash on the night of the 17th, carrying everything before it and causing considerable damage Mining intelligence is *nil* at present Several companies are prospecting The population of Cassiar wintering in the mines numbers about 100 Every one is enjoying good health The market is well stocked with all kinds of provisions and prices have not advanced

It is the general opinion that McDame creek will turn out well next season and that five companies were working there up to the 30th November last The Discovery claim was taking out good pay the Patch claim yielding 2 oz per day to the hand, the Eureka 1 oz per day to the hand, and that two companies on Holloway's bar were making wages Sayyea creek, 300 miles northwest of Nigger creek, was being prospected by Levy parties intending to proceed thither would have to take supplies at Dease creek The trail from Dease creek to Steamboat landing covered with a foot of snow, was nevertheless in good condition. Coming through the canyon the weather was cold and winds strong, at the mouth of Stikine river our informant was four days unable to obtain provisions At Wrangel pack animals had suffered severely from lack of feed and severity of weather Cathin had lost nine horses almost all of Hart's were dead three of Turk's had died, Nelson had lost one Smith & Buckley two and Gerke & Co none There is no truth in the report that Messrs F McNeil and Watson were drowned near Wrangel they having turned up shortly after New Year's Day

MR HILL'S LECTURE

PORTLAND Feb 7 1876

CITY EDITOR OREGONIAN

Dear Sir May I again remind your readers through you of the lecture of Wm. Hill Esq to-night on the suggestive subject of "Five hundred years of civil war" I have not heard a lecture from Mr Hill but from his reputation we certainly can promise to the intellectual an unusual entertainment

We have secured Mr M's family to sing In their sprightly charming way they relieve the tediousness of the first twenty minutes of waiting that always annoys an American audience And they [illegible] to follow with [illegible] Yours truly

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POLICE COURT NOTES.

Paul, drunk and d paid

Jay King larceny case dismissed

Henry disorderly conduct fined paid

Ah Ching disorderly by fighting fine $10 paid

Stan Joe disorderly conduct fined committed to jail in default

China Joe disorderly by fighting no complaint filed and defendant discharged

If you want to be well dressed wear a Warwick collar and have your boots blacked

NOTES FROM SALEM.

SOCIAL PERSONAL AND OTHERWISE

Our regular correspondent sends the following dated Feb 6th

Mr and Mrs Wm. A England of this city returned home on the last steamer from their through the Eastern States

Prof S A Randall has been appointed principal of the North Salem school to the evident satisfaction of the patrons

Mrs Annie Schwatka was buried yesterday from the Evangelical church a large number of friends following the remains to their last resting place

Geo D Goodhue and Miss Carrie Cox were awarded premiums for the best penmanship at the close of Prof J M Garrison's school on Saturday evening last

Hon W R Dunbar returned home on Saturday last from a protracted lecturing tour throughout the valley He is announced to speak in Corvallis Monday evening

The two prisoners who broke jail recently were captured near Newellsville on Saturday last Sheriff Shaw will see to it they don't slip through his fingers a second time

M J Rawhl our popular plumber will go to San Francisco on the next steamer for the purpose of purchasing finishers etc for the completion of his contract on the new State house

Five gentlemen students of the Willamette University were suspended this morning for youthful indiscretions Their vacation which lasts one week will be thoroughly appreciated by them no doubt

Since the Leap Year party has accompanied the woodbine on its winding way a number of our young folks will go up to Albany on the 11th instant to attend the masquerade ball to be given at that place

The Leap Year party proposed by the Salem ladies has proved a most complete failure the why and wherefore of which deponent endeavoreth not to account for It is to be regretted the girls could not have little bit agree

Little Claude the youngest son of Mr and Mrs P L Willis died yesterday after a brief illness He was a bright, intelligent child about three years of age the pet of all who knew him and the idol of his parents hearts The funeral will take place on Tuesday

No little excitement was raised Sunday evening by the report that Allen S Ramsey a well known citizen had committed suicide by taking morphine On inquiry we learned he had taken the dose about 6 o'clock and although medical aid was at once summoned it was too late and he died about 10 o'clock P M He was a young married man and was industrious and steady in his habits and it is supposed domestic troubles led to the rash act he having separated from his wife on several occasions

OREGON CITY ITEMS

Our regular contributes the following under date of the 7th

"The Island" at the Willamette Falls, over which there has been so much controversy and litigation for many years was formally put in possession of Capt West superintendent of the Locks for the Canal & Lock Co by the sheriff last week

Our usually quiet town has been experiencing a relief from dull monotony, during the last three weeks or more, in the shape of a series of revival meetings, conducted by the pastors of the different churches, aided by sundry zealous members of the Young Men's Christian Association of Portland The meetings have been attended by large numbers, and with unflagging interest, and it is proposed to continue them indefinitely As the first fruits of the meetings, there were 31 new members added to the churches yesterday—four to the Baptist Church by immersion, and twenty-seven to the Congregational by the easier method of sprinkling A number of members were also added to the Methodist and other churches by letter Notwithstanding all this, many of the young gentlemen are complaining bitterly of being deprived of the society of the ladies—for the ladies all go to church every night and express serious fears of utter demoralization on said account. Naughty boys! They had better mend their ways and go to church too

THE NEW GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA —Lord Lytton, Bulwer Lytton's son has been appointed Governor General of India There was a great outcry when, at a former time, Mr Disraeli sent out Lord Mayo, but Mayo turned out very well, and Mr Disraeli's appreciation of character was justified It is doubtful however, whether the plan of selecting a man for such a place who is new to the work, has no special knowledge of India and has never distinguished himself in any public way is always likely to be successful Lord Lytton has always got on very creditably in diplomacy He is a pleasant drawing room and dinner-party man, writes verses retails *bon mots* and seems to have the faculty of making himself socially agreeable. His poetical efforts have never risen beyond a weak reflection of Byronic misanthropy and he was once convicted of borrowing from the German a translation of Servian ballads, which he pretended to be from the original tongue The qualities which are serviceable in the back stairs service of diplomacy are scarcely of the kind which make a statesman and it is emphatically a statesman that India requires It is possible that Lord Lytton like Lord Mayo, may prove a good card but it is felt that the experiment is too hazardous On the face of it nothing can be more monstrous than to say that out of all the men who have borne rule in India not one is equal to this comparatively young and inexperienced diplomatist —*N Y Times*

A CHAPTER ON TORPEDOES —There was recently a wonderful letter in the *Times* from a correspondent who signed himself "K" and professed to know all about the coal torpedoes used by the Confederate War Department in 1864 It was a Capt Courtenay who had charge of this kind of ammunition and the torpedoes were irregular iron or steel castings three-eighths of an inch thick except at the coil-hole which was reinforced to allow a thread being turned in it to receive the fuse or plug The shell, when charged with powder and pieces of coal was dipped first into boiling coal tar pulverized coal and resin or beeswax, and instantly afterward into the water the result being to make the shell exactly like a lump of coal Several of these were said to have been dropped into the United States government coal depot at Fortress Monroe and led to the destruction of the *Chenango* sloop and the *Greyhound* steamer But the finish is the the most startling bit In conclusion the writer says I may say that it was proposed by a committee of the Fenian congress assembled at New York in 1867 to distribute a quantity of coal torpedoes in the coal cellars of Her Majesty's ministers and prominent public men in London but was abandoned on the suggestion that many kitchens in London would have Irish maids connected with the scullery department —*N Y Times*

FOR THE BEST OF REASONS —There is a member of the Massachusetts legislature named F W Clapp who deserves special and honorable mention as resident and legislator of a State celebrated for the rum and ran[illegible] of its deadheads He recently returned a rail road pass which had been sent to him on the high moral ground that he did not consider it proper for legislators to accept such favors This is the first instance of the kind which has been recorded in Massachusetts though we believe something like it happened in Missouri a few years ago, when a legislator who had recently a single pass declined it on the ground 1 That it was not a season ticket 2 That it was not transferable That he didn't live in that direction That he [illegible] and that he would see them d[illegible] first

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THE TERRITORIES.

Olympia will ship a cargo of hoop poles to San Francisco next week

Sam Kee of Cheyenne leads the van of the Mongolian emigration to the Black Hills

Charley Ross has turned up at last He is on Spring creek Black Hills, taking out $15 day

The P. M. S. S. Co will put another steamer on the Puget Sound and San Francisco route in the 1st of April

Safe burglars chloroformed the treasurer of Jefferson county Montana and helped themselves to $10 000 in greenbacks

A bill to tax church property, introduced in the Legislature of New Mexico passed the council but was killed in the house

A terrible drought is prevailing at Cheyenne The *Leader* says that neither snow nor rain has fallen there since the middle of last September

During the year 1875 17 pieces of baggage were shipped westward over the Union Pacific while the east bound baggage comprised only 31 011 pieces

A pretty story comes from Helena, Montana about a washerwoman too frail to earn her bread at the tub who has just inherited $100 000 by the death of a relative in England

Captain Louis de Longueville, of the 14th Infantry, stationed in Wyoming has just been dismissed from the service We know of no reason for his dismissal unless it is for having such a name

A Cheyenne rough, named Connelly who had been locked up for knocking a man in the head with a revolver tried to butt his brains out against his cell door but was unfortunately foiled in the attempt by the interference of the jailor

Over on the sunset side of the Rockies in the city of the saints last Thursday night Isaac Newton a negro tired of life liberty and the pursuit of happiness put a little pistol to his head and frescoed the wall with what were supposed to be his brains

It is estimated that the sum total of the appropriations now demanded of the Colorado Legislature is not less than $140,000 The sum total of the Territorial revenue is given in round numbers at $70 000 The expenses of the Territorial Government are rated at about $50 000

South Carolinians must admit that they are sometimes a little unreasonable in their expectations Here is a writer who complains about one of Gov Chamberlain's appointees, a trial justice, who rendered the following judgment "In obedience to a thorough investigation of due consideration the court finds in the case of the State vs —— for a debt claim of —— for the amount of $150 are not properly due the court further considered the Testimony of Two Witness against one which an able the court to find a difference of $50 against the plaintiff but the judgment in this case is that the Plaintiff pay the cost of this case December 24th 1875" The *Tribune* correspondent elucidates the judgment—It must be confessed that it needs elucidation—by explaining that the plaintiff has property to pay the costs and the defendant has not But he is unreasonable enough to maintain on this evidence that even Gov Chamberlain's judges are a poor lot

CENTENNIAL STATISTICS —Our Republic commenced in 1776, 100 years ago with thirteen States and 815 615 square miles of territory which was occupied by about 3 000,000 of civilized human beings It has now a population of 43 000 000 who occupy thirty seven States and nine Territories which embrace over 3,000 000 of square miles It has 64 000 miles of railroads, more than sufficient to reach twice and a half round the globe The value of its annual agricultural productions is $2 500,000 000, and its gold mines are capable of producing $70 000 000 a year It has over 1 000 cotton factories 580 daily newspapers 4,300 weeklies, and 625 monthly publications —*N Y Herald*

MEASURES

'Oh Gus they say we're near a size,
Let's prove it now we've got the leisure
Here at the glass with our own eyes,
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"You're much the taller I declare,
I looked much taller with my feather,
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—*N Y Evening Post*

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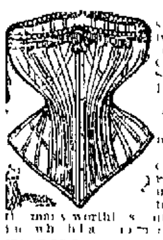

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There is some talk of organizing a party of Albanians for the Black Hills Meetings for talk held nightly

The Indian Commissioner has petitioned Congress for an interpreter for the Snake Indians at the Klamath agency

Eight hundred and forty sheep belonging to the estate of Daniel M Wilson of Linn county were sold last week at $2 per head

Q A Brooks agent for the State has received a patent for over 1 300 acres of swamp land in the vicinity of Lakeville in favor of the State

Sheriff Twilight has delivered at the penitentiary the following named convicts William Baker James Smith and Thomas Hall who were sentenced from Clatsop county for the term of one year for the crime of larceny in a dwelling house

W R Dunbar G W C T on the 4th inst organized a lodge at Woodburn Marion county with thirty on the list of charter applicants B I Cooley W C T Ella Hedges W V T Wm Simpson W S and B S Bonney lodge deputy

Jackson county has thirteen postoffices two of which (Jacksonville and Ashland) are money order offices Josephine has five none of which are money order offices Lake Co has sixteen post offices but none are authorized to issue money orders

An old resident near Scottsburg, Douglas county in taking a sack out of a closet where a gun stood loaded with duck shot, threw it down and the gun was discharged the contents passing through the ceiling Four shot went through the ear of his son, and three or four into his head, under the scalp Two other children were slightly wounded and the lady of the house was grazed with one shot near the shoulder He will be more careful in future

On the evening of the 3d inst about 100 of the influential citizens of Lebanon and vicinity met at Good Templar's Hall for the purpose of organizing an independent temperance society, James L Cowan Chas Montague Chas Ralston J C Hudson S H Claughton A Irwin and John Cronk were chosen a committee to draft a constitution and by laws After considerable discussion as to the nature and object of the proposed society the meeting adjourned to meet Tuesday evening February 8th

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THE PIRATE

Eighteen years ago the ship I commanded was darting over the waves on a mission of mercy. Laden by generous contributions of a Canadian city she was bound to the Cape de Verdes with bread for the famine stricken and dying.

It was now the fourteenth day out just in the first gray of the morning that the mate aroused me with the startling intelligence that a suspicious vessel was in sight. With the first ray of light the vigilant officer had descried her and she was then so near us to be made out with a glass. I was on deck in an instant.

One glance through the telescope was enough to satisfy me that the mate was right. The vessel was sharp built, of light draught and rigged like a brigantine. Her masts raked very slightly besides the canvas usual to such a rig she was fitted to carry a bigger sail which when spread before the wind would add to her speed. In addition she was pierced for twenty two sweeps. Her decks were crowded with men.

"It's an honest craft Mr Larkin," I said "but she may not be a pirate for all that. One need not be surprised to fall in with a slaver hereabouts."

"She's no slaver, Captain!"

"Why do you think so?"

"Because there are guns on her deck instead of water casks."

"I did not say she had a cargo of slaves in," I replied

"Then why does she carry so many guns on deck? If without a cargo her guns should be below. If with one there should be more guns on deck. If that ain't a pirate, never believe me again."

As if to put an end to our speculations and clear up the mystery the suspicious craft began to spread more canvas, and, as she gathered away with the freshening breeze they run up to her foremast a flag, which, when it reached the track, unshook its folds in the wind. On white ground we saw the terrible insignia of the freebooter, the death's head and cross-bones, painted in diabolical black.

"I thought so," said Mr Larkin, quietly "and the ship has no guns"

"What arms have you, Mr Larkin?" I asked.

"An old horse-pistol, and the lock out of order."

"And I have only an old fowling-piece and a pair of pistols. I fear these fellows will make their own terms with us."

"Yes cut our throats and administer to our effects afterwards," replied the mate, walking forward.

We made all the sail we could, but fifteen minutes satisfied me that escape was impossible. The report of a gun from the pirate, and a shot whistling over us, speedily brought us to. The pirate came quietly along, like a panther which, sure of its prey, was in no great hurry to seize it. The moment he came within speaking distance he hailed, and ordered me to launch a boat and come on board. We got out the quarter boat and I was about to jump into her, to pay my respects in person to the villains, when Mr Larkin asked leave to go

"If they want the captain," said he "let them send for him. I'll see if the mate won't answer as well."

He had scarcely put his foot on the deck of the pirate when he again appeared on the rail and descended to the boat, which began to pull back. Almost at the same instant a launch was swung over the rail into which twenty savage looking rascals, armed to the teeth sprang and pulled towards us. Ten minutes afterwards they were on board my vessel, and began clearing away the main hatch

The leader a swarthy fellow whose square, compact frame indicated strength, and whose eyes, black and hazy, and half concealed by the lids, expressed cruelty and cunning approached the cabin hatch, where I stood and addressed me in tolerable English

"Are you the captain of this vessel?"

"Yes," I replied

"What's your cargo?"

"Flour."

"Where from?"

"Montreal."

"Where to?"

"Cape de Verde."

"Why, they're all starving there," he said, opening his eyes and looking full at me

"Yes, and the flour in my vessel was freely given by good Christians to feed those starving people"

The rascal continued his deliberate gaze a moment, then turned towards his men who by this time had broken into the main hatch and in a rough, commanding tone spoke a few words in Portuguese, which I could not make out. The men looked up in astonishment and then withdrew to the side, where they stood gazing cautiously towards their captain, for such was my interrogator. He thrust his hand behind him and walked to and fro quickly for five minutes then he said sharply turning to me, "You Englishmen are all heretics—why should you send flour to feed starving Catholics?"

"Because they are our fellow men and their Saviour is our Saviour," I answered, astonished at the conduct of the man

"If you deceive me," he cried with a fierceness which startled me "if you deceive me I'll nail you down to your own deck. Is this cargo the free gift of your countrymen to the starving?"

"I'll prove it to you by my papers" I answered

"I don't want to see your papers here turn I swear it by the Saviour whose name you have just pronounced." As he spoke he crossed himself devoutly

I swear by the Holy Trinity," I replied solemnly

The pirate lifted his cap and bent his head devoutly when I mentioned the Trinity. He stood still with his head bent over while one might moderately have counted fifty. When he raised himself up it seemed to me that there was less ferocity in his countenance. His eyes were no longer half closed but open and clearer in their depths. I looked steadily at him

"Captain," he said courteously "can you supply me with two or three casks of water?"

I gave the order and the water was lowered into the boat. A word from him sent his cut-throats over the side but he lingered behind and after a moment's hesitation as though half repented of his resolution and was ashamed of what he was doing he approached me with his hand extended

"Heaven bless you," he exclaimed as he felt my grasp "and send you where the starving are praying for bread

The next moment he was gone. It is very probable that the piratical rascal was afterwards hung as no doubt he deserved to be. But however terrible his fate I am sure that from his heart seared and made callous by crime, and self desecrated there burst forth a little warm glimmer of light which mitigated somewhat the desolation and relieved, though it could not entirely dispel, the gloom of his dying hour

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Financial.

MONDAY EVENING Feb 7 1876

Gold in New York, 112⅞@113

Legal Tenders in Portland—buying 88 selling 89

Coin Exchange on San Francisco at par

Currency Exchange on San Francisco ½ per cent. premium

Coin Exchange on New York ¾ per cent. premium

Telegraphic transfers on New York 1 per cent premium

Currency Exchange on New York ½ per cent. premium

Gold Bars 750 par

The principal topic [illegible] in the [illegible] at present is that in regard to the [illegible] silver [illegible] product [illegible] market. There exists a variety [illegible] will be [illegible] pelled to pursue [illegible] that the same [illegible] will have to be made as appear [illegible] exist in San Francisco [illegible] think that the [illegible] city of silver here [illegible] in the State [illegible] and that as long as [illegible] system it may be continued. If this could be done it would certainly be conducive to the [illegible] trade matters and produce less [illegible] than any other course. The [illegible] that such a course would [illegible] all the gold [illegible] in [illegible] place a very [illegible] silver is worth 100 here and 8 there.

The immediate reason for the great [illegible] of silver in San Francisco [illegible] product present and prospectively [illegible] the Nevada mines and the fear that the result would ultimately be such an overplus of silver compared with the gold in circulation as to become actually burdensome. The object of the proposed discount by California merchants is evidently to get rid of some of the surplus silver by making it less valuable at home than abroad and should the traders and people of Oregon receive it as now, it appears almost to be a certainty that much of it will find its way here. As showing the amount of money sent from this coast in 1875 we append a table of the kinds of coin which left San Francisco going abroad in that time

	1874	1875
Gold bars	$3 418 300	$1 020,400
Silver bars	9 418 800	8 119 300
Gold coin	10 817 300	21 901 000
Silver coin	3 7 000	1 149 800
Trade dollars	6 529 100	4 981 200
Gold dust	87 100	1 000
Mexican dollars	2 061 200	1 420 900
Legal tenders	130 000	23 000
Totals	$30 170 800	$42 922 100

All the Trade and Mexican Dollars and Gold Dust went to China while all the fine Gold small silver coin and most of the Gold coin went to New York. England and Germany take fine Silver. Most of the shipments to other markets are in coin. There were four remittances of Gold coin to British Columbia.

The Wheat Market

The week opens without any improvement as far as we are yet able to report in the grain trade. A few ships to load are now nearly due but while their cargoes are generally secured the vessels in port have all almost finished loading and the Valparaiso is the only vessel now on the berth here, and she will have quick dispatch. The ships Bonnie Castle Hannibal, John Rennie and Oriflamme are expected soon and until they arrive the movement must about cease. There is but little wheat reported in the warehouses on the west side railroad, though should the weather permit of hauling before the season closes, there will be a few thousand bushels gathered up in those localities. The several central warehouses along the river and on the line of the east side railroad are reported to contain, in most cases, very considerable amounts which are held for a better price while a great deal still remains in the farmers granaries and will be hauled in to the lines of transportation when the roads are better and prices improve. Without the happening of the latter contingency a material portion of last years surplus will probably be carried over to next harvest

The present indications do not justify predictions of as heavy a crop in this valley as was gathered last year, though a good deal yet depends on the weather of the next few weeks. If this be favorable a large area will be planted but if otherwise the acreage in the cereal this year in Oregon will fall very materially short of that of 1875. The present condition of what was sown last fall is reported generally as promising of a full average yield per acre.

Home Produce Market.

WHEAT—For fair average lots, $1 60@$1 65 per cental sacked.

FLOUR—Quotable best brands $5 00 ℔ bbl good outside and country brands $4 75, fine and superfine $4 00@4 25

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BARLEY—Choice brewing $1 35@1 40 feed $1 25 @1 30 ℔ cwt

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DAIRY PRODUCTS—Butter solid 16@20c ℔ ℔ brine 20@25c roll 30@35c fancy dairy, 40 ℔c cheese, quotable at 17@18 ℔ ℔

EGGS—Quotable at 25c ℔ dozen

CHICKENS—Full grown $4 00@4 50 ℔ doz

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POTATOES—Common 50c choice 60c ℔ bushel

ONIONS—Asto quality $1 [illegible] 100 lbs

HAY—Choice timothy baled $16@$18 loose $1 [illegible] $10

DRIED APPLES—In sacks 6c in kegs 6½@7 ℔ ℔

DRIED PLUMS—With pits 6c pitless 16@17c ℔ ℔

RIPE FRUITS—Apples 50@60c ℔ box pears 60@75c

BACON—Hams choice 16@17c common to good 14c [illegible] sides 11@12½ shoulders [illegible]

FRESH MEATS—Beef dressed [illegible] ℔ ℔ on foot, 2½@3c dressed hogs, 6@6½c ℔ ℔ mutton sheep $2 00@3 ℔ head

LARD—Oregon made fresh, in tins 13@14c ℔ ℔ in kegs 13c

Shipping Intelligence.

The steamship Ajax will sail for San Francisco at noon to-morrow

The ship Ophelia will finish loading in two or three days. She is at Astoria

The brig Sea Waif has her cargo nearly out and will load produce for San Francisco

The barkentine Portland from San Francisco has arrived at Astoria with a full cargo of merchandise and will probably arrive here to morrow

The barkentine J A Falkinburg will soon be due from Honolulu

The ship City of York hence with a cargo of wheat arrived at Queenstown on the 5th ult

[BY TELEGRAPH]

SAN FRANCISCO Feb 7—Arrived—Bk Buena Vista [illegible] brig Nautilus [illegible] str City of Panama Victoria and Sound ports [illegible] Dana New York bk Mary Belle Roberts Honolulu bk Clara Bell Honolulu schr Greyhound [illegible]

EXPORTS.

Per bark Tam O'Shanter to San Francisco dispatched by Geo H Flanders January [illegible] [illegible] ash lumber 78 [illegible] logs 1 097 sk potatoes 19 [illegible] do flour 40 pkgs dried fruit 1 cs brooms 18 [illegible] oats 50 [illegible] bounds and skins 1 160 [illegible] salt 100 sks flax seed 300 tons pig iron 172 hf bbls dried apples 37 bbls beef [illegible] tallow [illegible] staves 487 pcs heading, 40 M ft [illegible] maple knots 1 pkg [illegible]

Per schooner Oregonian to San Francisco dispatched February 7 [illegible] H Flanders [illegible] bushels wheat and 60 000 feet lumber

San Francisco Markets.

BY TELEGRAPH

SAN FRANCISCO Feb 7 Flour Extra [illegible] at $5 75@6 15

Wheat Firm at $1 [illegible] for choice milling and shipping

Barley Feed $1 [illegible] brewing, $1 [illegible]

Oats—$2 [illegible]

Hay $[illegible]

Potatoes Best red $1 [illegible]

Liverpool wheat market [illegible] average California [illegible] 10d [illegible]

Silver [illegible] market to-day at [illegible] buying rates

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PORTLAND CITY DIRECTORY For 1876.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ASsessment made by Ordinance No 1700 as amended by Ordinance No 1721 for the improvement of Twelfth street in the manner provided by Ordinance No 1660 on each of the following described lots or tracts of land fronting upon that part of Twelfth street lying between Washington and Columbia streets as well as those liable for a proportionate share of improving the intersections of streets running at right angles therewith and remaining unpaid at this date is due and payable at the office of the City Treasurer, in United States gold and silver coin and unless paid within fifteen days from the date hereof the Common Council will order warrants issued for the collection thereof

Block	Lot	Owner	Assessm't
S1 K	5 6 7 8,	M O Lownsdale	$ 16 20
S½	6 7 8		3 10
S½ L	7 8 N 12 ft 5	Mitchell & Wood	51 00
	frac 5 8 ft 5		5 60
M	8	R Brotherton bal	60 25
W 1	6 7 & 8 10 ft 6	B Goldsmith	19 16
W 8 ft	5 & 8 10 ft 6	I Kamm	66 77
Tract 211 ft front on Twelfth and about 57 ft deep S of Main street		I Kamm	196 [illegible]
Tract 60 ft front on Twelfth street and about 10 feet deep S of last named tract		W S Chapman	[illegible] 45
Tract 100 ft front on Twelfth street about 51 ft deep S of last named tract		H Railton	129 40
F 52½ ft of N 111 ft W½ block N		Thos Mann	8 05
Tract S of last named tract about 60 ft E & W and 60 feet N & S		W K Smith	4 01
9½ O	W 11 ft 5, 6, 7 8,	R R Riley	151 12
	E 97 ft 8	R R Thompson	6 5
	F 7 5 6 7	R Killin bal	2 70
10	3 8½ 2	G H Durham	6 9
Tract 210 feet front on Twelfth street and S of N line Chapman Claim		J H D Gray	151 70
Tract 90½ ft front on Twelfth street between Gray tract and N line Main st		J Kamm	102 20
Tract 212 ft front on Twelfth street and S of N line of Main street		I Kamm	240 70
Tract 100 feet front on Twelfth street and N of N line of Jefferson st		M F Chapman	12 20
Tract 148 ft front on Twelfth street and N of last named tract		H H Northup	118 90
			$1451 67

By order of the Common Council

W S CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk

January 29, 1876. [illegible]

U. S. MARSHAL'S CITATION.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA—DISTRICT of Oregon ss Whereas a libel hath been filed in the District Court of the United States for the District of Oregon on the 14th day of January A D 1876 by James H Leech against the steamboat *Clatsop Chief* her tackle apparel and furniture and praying that the usual process and monition of the court that all persons interested in said vessel her tackle apparel and furniture may be cited to answer the premises and all due proceedings being had that the same may be decreed to be sold and the proceeds thereof to be distributed according to law, therefore in pursuance of the said monition under the seal of the said court to me directed and delivered I do hereby give notice generally unto all persons having or pretending to have any right title or interest therein to appear before the said court at the city of Portland Oregon on the seventh day of February A D 1876 if that be a court day or else on the next court day thereafter [illegible] o'clock in the forenoon of said day then and there to answer said libel and to make their allegations in that behalf. Dated at Portland in said District the 24th day of January A D 1876

DANIEL J MALARKEY
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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT District of Oregon. Notice in Bankruptcy. In the matter of P Milwain Bankrupt. Notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed in said Court by said P Milwain duly declared a bankrupt under the act of congress of March 2 1867 for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said Act and that the [illegible] day of February 1876 is assigned for the hearing of the same before B H Northup Esq Register in Bankruptcy at his office in [illegible] when and where any person may attend and show cause if any they have why the prayer of said petition should not be granted

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EASTERN NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

Heavy snow storm on Trinity mountain. Line [illegible] report to-night [illegible]

CENTENNIAL

[illegible] OF TUALATIN ACADEMY AND PACIFIC UNIVERSITY

OFFICE OF SUP'T OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION, }
Salem Oregon Jan 24 1876 }

Prof G H Collier A M, Rev Prof H Ly[illegible] A M and Rev G H Atkinson, D D., [illegible] respective Oregon GENTLEMEN You are [illegible] by appointed a committee to prepare the [illegible] ory of Tualatin Academy and Pacific University to be forwarded to this office by next [illegible] bruary 15th where it will be compiled educational and scientific reports for the U. S. Centennial Exhibition for 1876

Very respectfully yours,
L L ROWLAND,
Chairman Com E & S Reports

The undersigned in fulfilling this service, [illegible] that the frequent mention of several [illegible] ons connected with this history has been [illegible] tial to its truth and completeness. The [illegible] of history as of a river, are like hidden springs, hardly known, until the tiny river marks its own course

We can trace the rise of this institution to [illegible] two distinct and apparently independent [illegible] that united opportunely, or, as we [illegible] to say providentially. What thoughts [illegible] been germinating in other minds before [illegible] concealed from us.

The American Home Missionary Society in [illegible] tember, 1846, within a month after the [illegible] on the Oregon boundary had been made [illegible] by President Polk, having planned to [illegible] their mission work on the Pacific coast, [illegible] Oregon as a field, requested Rev. G. H. [illegible] inson to be their pioneer missionary, with [illegible] commission to aid in planting churches, [illegible] and to diffuse Christian knowledge, [illegible] Badger the secretary, directed him in May, [illegible] to call upon Rev Theron Baldwin, sec[illegible] of the then new Society, for promoting [illegible] and theological education at the [illegible]. The interview was brief, ending in [illegible] incisive words "You are going to Ore[illegible] Found an academy that shall grow into [illegible] lege, as we founded Illinois College."

[illegible] two weeks after arriving at Oregon City, [illegible] 23, 1848, these words were repeated to [illegible] Harvey Clarke, who had came from Ver[illegible] and New York with his wife, as self-sup[illegible] missionaries to the Indians of Eastern [illegible], and thence to West Tualatin Plains, [illegible] Forest Grove. The Oregon Association [illegible] and Churches was there planned [illegible] partly organized, to meet at Oregon City, [illegible] tember, 1848. The subject was presented [illegible] that body, and the following minute was [illegible] of their action

At the meeting of the Association of Con[illegible] tional and Presbyterian brethren, Sep[illegible] ber 21, 1848, it was resolved that it is expe[illegible] to found an academy under our pat[illegible]. On discussion, it was resolved that Tualatin Plains is the most favorable loca[illegible]. After continued discussion, it was re[illegible] to appoint trustees, who shall locate an [illegible] emy, become incorporated and attend to [illegible] interests"

[illegible] Harvey Clarke, Hiram Clark, Esq P[illegible] h, Esq, Rev. Lewis Thompson, Wm. [illegible], Esq, Alvin T. Smith, Esq., James [illegible] Moore, Esq, O. Russel, Esq, and Rev. G [illegible] kinson were appointed trustees, who or[illegible] by choosing Rev H Clarke, president [illegible] G H Atkinson, secretary, A T. Smith, [illegible] treasurer, and Hiram Clark, Esq, com[illegible] by adopting a constitution and by-[illegible]

Another mind had been moved to a similar [illegible]. Mrs. Tabitha Brown, a lady of 68, [illegible] formerly from Brimfield, Massachusetts, [illegible] widow of an Episcopal minister, had fol[illegible] her children and grand children [illegible] Missouri in 1846 to Oregon. Her [illegible] had been moved by the sight [illegible] many orphan children, left on the [illegible], and in 1847 she said to Mr Clarke, [illegible] wish I was rich?" "Why?" said he. "In [illegible] to found an orphan asylum and build [illegible] an educational institution to furnish a [illegible] and instruction for these children." [illegible] two formed the plan and collected the [illegible] to erect a log house for a home. Mrs. [illegible] gath red in 40 or 50 children, boarding [illegible] for a dollar per week. They employed [illegible] teacher and the enterprise was launched at [illegible] Tualatin. This orphan school was of[illegible] to the trustees of the proposed academy [illegible] should grow into a college, and accepted [illegible] them Rev Harvey Clarke pledged 200 acres [illegible] his claim, taken and held under the then [illegible] existing provisional government of Oregon, [illegible] site of the academy and school village [illegible] was expected to grow up around it [illegible] old log church, with mud chimney on the [illegible], and puncheon floor and seats within [illegible] offered and accepted as the temporary [illegible] school house, and L D C. Latourette was [illegible] first teacher. Rev. C Eells was next [illegible] employed as teacher, and a contract was let to [illegible] a more commodious house of hewn logs [illegible] few hundred dollars having been subscribed [illegible] The trustees secured an act of incorporation [illegible] from the first legislature of the Territory [illegible] by the authority of the United States [illegible] September 26 1849 " establishing in Washing[illegible] county a seminary of learning for the in[illegible] struction of persons of both sexes in science [illegible] literature, to be known by the style of [illegible] 'President and Trustees of Tualatin [illegible] Academy,' empowering them, when it shall [illegible] expedient to do so, to exercise all the privi[illegible] as president and trustees of a college or [illegible] university as the case may be, that should b[illegible] exercised and enjoyed by the president and [illegible] trustees of other colleges and universities tha[illegible] may hereafter be created in this Territory "

The land was laid out into blocks of fou[illegible] acres each, an acre to a lot, with streets fou[illegible] rods wide, and twenty acres were set apart fo[illegible] campus ten of land pledged by Mr Clarke [illegible] ten of land pledged by Mr Stokes and [illegible] Rev. E. Walker.

Meanwhile the gold mines of California ha[illegible] been discovered, and though golddust in abun[illegible] was plenty prices ruled high for labor [illegible] materials and food for all classes. The schoo[illegible] grew in favor, and the need of more room le[illegible] to the erection of what is now called the ol[illegible] college building. The orphan house bloc[illegible] was sold for $1000, to be paid in the labor of th[illegible] contractor, rated at $10 per day. Lumber wa[illegible] bought at $50 to $60 per M. Lots were sol[illegible] which, with other collections paid $5 000 o[illegible] the $7 000 which the building enclosed wit[illegible] one or two rudely finished rooms, had cost.

The changes of teachers the growing de[illegible] demands of this work and the increasing deb[illegible] laid a heavier burden upon Rev Mr Clark [illegible] and his family and other trustees and friend[illegible] than they could bear. Grave questions ha[illegible] called for frequent councils of the trustee[illegible] during those early years, and you might se[illegible] them coming on horseback by trails an[illegible] roughest roads, through the woods to spen[illegible] days and nights in anxious search and earnes[illegible] prayer for wisdom to guide and means to exe[illegible] cute their original plan. The tides of a chan[illegible] ing population were gradually flowing to the [illegible] from the mines and it became a more an[illegible] more difficult problem to know what to d[illegible] with this and other institutions and church[illegible] buildings that were in or less dependin[illegible] upon the same men

At this [illegible] in April 1852 at the re[illegible] quest of the trustees Rev Mr Atkinson wen[illegible] to New York to enlist the aid of Eastern [illegible] friends and [illegible] of the College Society [illegible] A circular [illegible] and w[illegible] was published with endorsements of promin[illegible] ent ministers and business men in New York [illegible] The enterprise thus begun was laid befor[illegible] Dr Baldwin who had given the plan, an[illegible] then before the College Society with the re[illegible] quest to be adopted as the next or fifth on thei[illegible] list and to have the grant of $600 [illegible] of $10,000, annually to support a perman[illegible] professor. Both requests were granted, an[illegible] by public and private appeals $800 in co[illegible] and $700 in books were collected for the inst[illegible] tution. A professor was engaged who afte[illegible] having spent weeks in studying text books an[illegible] plans for the college course, declined t[illegible] come, but introduced Rev S H Marsh[illegible]

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[illegible] that will stay

[illegible] weary age
[illegible] experience gain
[illegible] we try once more
And build bright castles still in Spain

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THE PIRATE

[illegible] years ago the ship I commanded was dancing over the waves on a mission of [illegible] laden by generous contributions of a Canadian city she was bound to the Cape de Verdes with bread for the famine stricken and dying

It was now the fourteenth day out just in the first gray of the morning, that the mate aroused me with the startling intelligence that a suspicious vessel was in sight. With the first ray of light the vigilant officer had descried her and she was then so near as to be made out with a glass I was on deck in an instant

One glance through the telescope was enough to satisfy me that the mate was right. The vessel was sharp built of light draught and rigged like a brigantine Her masts raked very slightly besides the canvas usual to such a rig she was fitted to carry a lugger sail which when spread before the wind would add to her speed In addition she was pierced for twenty two sweeps Her decks were crowded with men

It's [illegible] honest craft Mr Larkin I said but she may not be a pirate for all that One need not be surprised to fall in with a slaver hereabouts

She's no slaver Captain!

"Why do you think so?"

Because there are guns on her deck instead of water casks

"I did not say she had a cargo of slaves in," I replied

Then why does she carry so many guns on deck? If without a cargo her guns should be below If with one there should be more guns on deck. If that ain't a pirate never believe me again"

As if to put an end to our speculations and clear up the mystery the suspicious craft began to spread more canvas, and, as she gathered away with the freshening breeze they run up to her foremast a flag, which, when it reached the track, unshook its folds in the wind On white ground we saw the terrible insignia of the freebooter, the death's head and cross-bones, painted in diabolical black.

I thought so" said Mr. Larkin, quietly "and the ship has no guns"

"What arms have you, Mr. Larkin?" I asked.

"An old horse-pistol, and the lock out of order."

"And I have only an old fowling-piece and a pair of pistols I fear these fellows will make their own terms with us."

Yes, cut our throats and administer to our effects afterwards" replied the mate, walking forward.

We made all the sail we could, but fifteen minutes satisfied me that escape was impossible The report of a gun from the pirate, and a shot whistling over us, speedily brought us to. The pirate came quietly along, like a panther which, sure of its prey, was in no great hurry to seize it The moment he came within speaking distance he hailed, and ordered me to launch a boat and come on board We got out the quarter boat, and I was about to jump into her, to pay my respects in person to the villains, when Mr Larkin asked leave to go

"If they want the captain said he let them send for him I'll see if the mate won't answer as well"

He had scarcely put his foot on the deck of the pirate when he again appeared on the rail and descended to the boat, which began to pull back. Almost at the same instant a launch was swung over the rail into which twenty savage looking rascals, armed to the teeth sprang, and pulled towards us Ten minutes afterwards they were on board my vessel and began clearing away the main hatch

The leader a swarthy fellow whose square, compact frame indicated strength and whose eyes, black and hazy, and half concealed by the lids, expressed cruelty and cunning approached the cabin hatch, where I stood, and addressed me in tolerable English

Are you the captain of this vessel"

Yes I replied

"What is your cargo?"

"Flour."

Where from?

Montreal"

Where to?"

"Cape de Verde

"Why they're all starving there," he said opening his eyes and looking full at me

"Yes, and the flour in my vessel was freely given by good Christians to feed those starving people"

The rascal continued his deliberate gaze a moment then turned towards his men who by this time had broken into the main hatch and in a rough, commanding tone spoke a few words in Portuguese which I could not make out The men looked up in astonishment and then withdrew to the side, where they stood gazing cautiously towards their captain, for such was my interrogator He thrust his hand behind him and walked to and fro quickly for five minutes then he said sharply, turning to me, You Englishmen are all heretics—why should you send flour to feed starving Catholics?

Because they are our fellow men, and their Saviour is our Saviour, I answered, astonished at the conduct of the man

If you deceive me he cried with a fierceness which startled me—if you deceive me I'll nail you down to your own deck Is this cargo the free gift of your countrymen to the starving?"

I'll prove it to you by my papers I answered

I don't want to see your papers, he returned swear it by the Saviour whose name you have just pronounced As he spoke he crossed himself devoutly

I swear by the Holy Trinity I replied solemnly

The pirate lifted his cap and bent his head devoutly when I mentioned the Trinity He stood still with his head bent over while one might deliberately have counted fifty When he raised himself up it seemed to me that there was less ferocity in his countenance His eyes were no longer half closed but open and clearer in their depths I looked steadily at him

Captain he said courteously can you supply me with two or three casks of water?

I gave the order and the water was lowered into the boat A word from him sent his cut throats over the side but he lingered behind and after a moment's hesitation as though he half repented of his resolution and was ashamed of what he was doing he approached me with his hand extended

Heaven bless you" he exclaimed as he felt my grasp and send you where the starving are praying for bread

The next moment he was gone It is very probable that the piratical rascal was afterwards hung, as no doubt he deserved to be But however terrible his fate I am sure that from his heart seared and made callous by crime, and self desecrated there burst forth a little warm glimmer of light which mitigated somewhat the desolation and relieved, though it could not entirely dispel, the gloom of his dying hour

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Financial.

MONDAY EVENING Feb 7 1876

Gold in New York 112⅞@112¾

Legal Tenders in Portland—buying 88 selling 89

Coin Exchange on San Francisco at par

Currency Exchange on San Francisco ¾ per cent premium

Coin Exchange on New York ¾ per cent premium.

Telegraphic transfers on New York 1 per cent premium

Currency Exchange on New York ¾ per cent premium

Gold Bars 750 par

The principal topic [illegible] in San Francisco [illegible] merchants in regard to the [illegible] of silver in payment of bills at [illegible] probable effect [illegible] market. There exists a variety of opinions [illegible] Some claim that the San [illegible] [illegible] to exist in San Francisco others think that the quantity of silver here can be used in the State trade and that as long as all agree upon the [illegible] system it may be continued If this [illegible] it would certainly be conducive to the [illegible] of trade matters and produce less trouble than any other course The objection [illegible] raised that such a course w[illegible] to drive all the gold out of the [illegible] San Francisco [illegible] [illegible] a very natural conclusion if the silver is worth 100 here and 88 there.

The immediate reason for the great discount on silver in San Francisco is [illegible] the enormous product present and prospective by the Nevada mines and the fear that the result would ultimately be such an overplus of silver compared with the gold in circulation as to become actually burdensome The object of the proposed discount by California merchants is evidently to get rid of some of the surplus silver by making it less valuable at home than abroad and should the traders and people of Oregon receive it as now, it appears almost to be a certainty that much of it will find its way here As showing the amount of money sent from this coast in 1875, we append a table of the kinds of coin which left San Francisco going abroad in that time

	1874	1875
Gold bars	$3 116 800	$1 020 406
Silver bars	9 418 800	18 849 300
Gold coin	10,817 900	21 901 400
Silver coin	3 7 900	1 419 500
Trade dollars	3,821 100	4 983 200
Gold dust	82,200	1 000
Mexican dollars	2 089 300	1 320 700
Legal tenders	130 000	23 000
Totals	$30 170 500	$42 9[illegible]2 100

All the Trade and Mexican Dollars and Gold Dust went to China, while all the fine Gold small Silver coin, and most of the Gold coin went to New York England and Germany take fine Silver Most of the shipments to other markets are in coin There were four remittances of Gold coin to British Columbia.

The Wheat Market

The week opens without any improvement as far as we are yet able to report In the grain trade A few ships to load are now nearly due but while their cargoes are generally secured the vessels in port have all almost finished loading and the Valparaiso is the only vessel now on the berth here and she will have quick dispatch The ships Donne Castle Hannibal, John Rennie and Oriflamme are expected soon and until they arrive the movement must about cease There is but little wheat reported in the warehouses on the west side railroad though should the weather permit of hauling before the season closes there will be a few thousand bushels gathered up in those localities The several central warehouses along the river and on the line of the east side railroad are reported to contain, in most cases, very considerable amounts, which are held for a better price while a great deal still remains in the farmers granaries and will be hauled in to the lines of transportation when the roads are better and prices improve. Without the happening of the latter contingency a material portion of last year's surplus will probably be carried over to next harvest.

The present indications do not justify predictions of as heavy a crop in this valley as was gathered last year, though a good deal yet depends on the weather of the next few weeks If this be favorable a large area will be planted, but, if otherwise the acreage in the cereal this year in Oregon will fall very materially short of that of 1875 The present condition of what was sown last fall is reported generally as promising of a full average yield per acre

Home Produce Market.

WHEAT—For fair average lots, $1 60@$1 65 per cental sacked

FLOUR—Quotable best brands $5 00 ₩ bbl good outside and country brands, $4 75 fine and superfine $4 00@4 25

OATS—Choice white 70c per bushel common 65c, black 62½c

BARLEY—Choice brewing, $1 35@1 40 feed $1 25@1 30 ₩ cwt

MILL FEED—Bran $22 ₩ ton shorts, $30 chopped middlings etc $37 50@40 oil cake meal $40

DAIRY PRODUCTS—Butter solid 16@25c ₩ lb brine 20@28c roll 20@30c fancy dairy 30@40c cheese quotable at 17@18 ₩ lb

EGGS—Quotable at 25c ₩ dozen

CHICKENS—Full grown $3 50@4 00 ₩ doz

HIDES AND FURS—We quote best selected hides at 13c ₩ lb culls, ⅓ off, green 5@6c elk 10@15 ₩ lb deer 18@30c ₩ lb for dried and 50@75c each green mink skins $1 50 each otter $4@7 each beaver, $1@$1 25

POTATOES—Common 50c choice 60c ₩ bushel

ONIONS—As to quality $1 25@1 50 ₩ 100 lbs

HAY—Choice timothy baled $16@$18 loose $12@$14.

DRIED APPLES—In sacks 6c in kegs 6½c @7 ₩ lb

DRIED PLUMS—With pits, 6c pitless 14@15c ₩ lb

RIPE FRUITS—Apples 50@65c ₩ box pears 60@75c

BACON—Hams choice 16@17c common to good 14c ₩ lb sides 11@12c shoulders 8c

FRESH MEATS—Beef dressed 4@6c ₩ lb on foot 2½@3c dressed hogs 6@6½c ₩ lb, mutton sheep $2 50@3 ₩ head

LARD—Oregon made, fresh in tins 13@14c ₩ lb in kegs 13c.

Shipping Intelligence.

The steamship Ajax will sail for San Francisco at noon to-morrow,

The ship Ophelia will finish loading in two or three days She is at Astoria

The brig Sea Waif has her cargo nearly out and will load produce for San Francisco

The barkentine Portland from San Francisco has arrived at Astoria with a full cargo of merchandise and will probably arrive here to morrow

The barkentine J A Falkinburg will soon be due from Honolulu

The ship City of York hence with a cargo of wheat arrived at Queenstown on the 5th ult

[BY TELEGRAPH]

SAN FRANCISCO Feb 7—Arrived—Bk Buena Vista Port Gamble brig Nautilus Tahiti str City of Panama Victoria and Sound [illegible] ship [illegible] Dana New York bk Mary Belle Roberts Honolulu bk Clara Bell Honolulu schr Greyhound Tahiti

EXPORTS.

Per bark Tam O'Shanter to San Francisco dispatched by Geo H Flanders January 2[illegible]th [illegible] 88 ft ash lumber 78 ash logs 1 007 sks potatoes 1 [illegible] do flour 240 pkgs dried fruit 1 cs brooms 1[illegible] sks oats 86 cs boots and shoes, 40 bbl salmon [illegible] sks flax seed 100 tons pig iron 472 hf bbls dried apples, 97 bbls beef 70 do pork [illegible] tallow 30 bales hops 1 568 staves 117 pcs heading, 50 M ft fencing, [illegible] maple knots 1 pkg mdse

Per schooner Oregonian to San Francisco dispatched February 7th by Geo H Flanders [illegible] bushels wheat and 60 000 feet lumber

San Francisco Markets.

[BY TELEGRAPH]

SAN FRANCISCO Feb [illegible]—Flour—Extra jobbing at $5 75@6 12½

Wheat—Firm at $1 90@1 [illegible] for choice milling and shipping

Barley—Feed $1 22½@1 27½ brewing $1 30 to 1 [illegible]

Oats—$2 00@2 20

Hay $13@18 00

Potatoes—Best red $1 50@1 [illegible]

Liverpool wheat market to day—10s@10s 7d for average California 10s 7d to 10d for club

Silver coin is quoted in this market to day at 9[illegible] buying prices

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Block	Lot	Owner	Assessm't.
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S½I	5 7 8 N 12 ft 5	Mitchell & Wood	11 09
	frac 5 15 ft 5		6 86
M	8	R Brotherton, bal	50 25
	W 34 ft 7 & N 10 ft 6	B Goldsmith	49 10
	W 34 ft 5 & S 40 ft 6	J Kamm	66 77
Tract 214 ft front on Twelfth and about 57½ ft deep S of Main street J Kamm			196 5[illegible]
Tract 16 ft front on Twelfth street and about 40 feet deep E of last named tract W S Chapman			[illegible] 18
Tract 100 ft front on Twelfth street about 11 ft deep S of last named tract H Ralston			129 40
62½ ft of N 141 ft W½ block N Thos Mann			8 05
Tract S of last named tract about 60 ft E&W and 80 feet N & S W K Smith			4 09
S½ O	W 15 ft 5 6 7 8,	R R Riley	151 12
	E 57 ft 5	R R. Thompson	6 55
	E 57 ft 6, 7	B Killin bal	2 70
212	3 8½ 2	G H Durham	6 50
Tract 210 feet front on Twelfth street and S of N line Chapman Claim J H D Gray			1[illegible]4 70
Tract 20½ ft front on Twelfth street between Gray tract and N line Main st. J Kamm			102 20
Tract 212 ft front on Twelfth street and S of S line of Main street J Kamm			230 70
Tract 100 feet front on Twelfth street and N of N line of Jefferson st M F Chapman			42 20
Tract 148 ft front on Twelfth street and N of last named tract H H Northup			148 30
			$3481 67

By order of the Common Council
W S CALDWELL
Auditor and Clerk

January 29 1876 [illegible]

U. S. MARSHAL'S CITATION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA—DISTRICT of Oregon ss Whereas a libel hath been filed in the District Court of the United States for the District of Oregon on the 13th day of January A D 1876 by James B Leech against the steamboat Clara pt Chief her tackle apparel and furniture and praying that the usual process and monition of the court that all persons interested in said vessel her tackle apparel and furniture may be cited to answer the premises and all due proceedings being had that the same may be decreed to be sold and the proceeds thereof to be distributed according to law therefore in pursuance of the said monition under the seal of the said court to me directed and delivered I do hereby give notice generally unto all persons having or pretending to have any right title or interest therein to appear before the said court at the city of Portland Oregon on the seventh day of February A D 1876 (if it be a court day or else on the next court day thereafter) at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day then and there to answer the libel and to make their allegations in that behalf Dated at Portland in said District this [illegible]th day of January A D 1876

DANIEL J MALARKEY
U S Marshal District of Oregon

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF Oregon for Multnomah county W S Ladd C F Tilton and S Mead partners under the firm name of Ladd & Tilton, plaintiffs vs Peter John and Catherine John, his wife defendants To Peter John and Catherine John, his wife the above named defendants In the name of the State of Oregon you and each of you are hereby notified to appear and answer the complaint of the above named plaintiffs against you which has been filed in the above entitled court and cause within ten days after service hereof on you if served in this county and if served on you in any other county in this State then within twenty days after such service and on or before the first day of the next regular term of said court which day is the 14th day of February A D 1876 and if you shall fail so to appear and answer the plaintiffs will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint, You are further notified that the object of this suit is to foreclose a certain mortgage executed by you to secure the payment of $1 000 in currency and interest thereon at one per cent per month from and after the 9th day of April A D 1875 due on a certain promissory note executed by you and which mortgage is on Block No 11 in the city of East Portland Multnomah county Oregon to sell [illegible] said property to sale according to law for judgment for any deficiency after application of proceeds of sale for seventy five dollars attorney's fees and for costs and disbursements of suit This summons is published by an order of the Hon E D Shattuck Judge of said court made at Chambers on the 8th December 1875 directing publication thereof in the DAILY OREGONIAN newspaper once a week for six successive weeks Dated at Portland Oregon this 8th day of December 1875

WHALLEY & FECHHEIMER
Att'ys for Plaintiffs

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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT District of Oregon Notice in Bankruptcy In the matter of [illegible] Milwain Bankrupt Notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed in said Court by said [illegible] Milwain duly declared bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2 1867 for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and liabilities and other claims provable under said Act and that the 9th day of February 1876 is assigned for the hearing of the same before H H Northup Esq Register in Bankruptcy at his office in Portland in said district when and where any person may attend and show cause if any they have why the prayer of said petition should not be granted

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R WILCOX
Clerk of said Court

NOTICE—Dissolution

THE COPARTNERSHIP BETWEEN GROW & Wilcox Painters is hereby dissolved J P Wilcox retiring from the firm John Grow will continue the business of House and Sign Painting etc, at the old place 11 [illegible] street near Taylor

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Jan 1, 1876
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Asthma, Bronchitis, [illegible]
Troubles are at o[illegible] Dr. Jayne's Ex[illegible] moves constriction of [illegible] tubes, loosens phleg[illegible] heals the mucous m[illegible] any feverish tendency [illegible] forward a gradual c[illegible]

Consumption, Pleuri[illegible]
Affections are general[illegible] and ameliorated by [illegible] [illegible] It saves the [illegible] much irritation and [illegible] lieving them of the irr[illegible] by which they are clo[illegible] suppresses inflammati[illegible] the affected parts a ch[illegible]

Whooping Cough, Cro[illegible]
ness are efficaciously [illegible] Jayne's Ex[illegible] difficulty of breathing [illegible] sion in the throat or lun[illegible] the ejection of mucus [illegible] the violence of these [illegible] the outset. It is a Safe [illegible] of long established [illegible] and where promptly [illegible] has enabled many to [illegible] Lung Affections.

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EASTERN NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

[illegible] heavy snow storm on Trinity mountain. [illegible] [illegible]—no report to night —O[illegible]

CENTENNIAL.

[illegible]TORY OF TUALATIN ACADEMY AND PACIFIC UNIVERSITY

OFFICE OF SUP'T OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION,
SALEM, Oregon, Jan 24, 1876

Prof G H Collier, A. M, Rev Prof H Ly[illegible] [illegible] A M and Rev G H Atkinson, D D, [illegible] Forest Grove Oregon—GENTLEMEN You are [illegible] by appointed a committee to prepare the [illegible]ry of Tualatin Academy and Pacific Uni[illegible]rsity to be forwarded to this office by next [illegible]bruary 15th, where will be compiled educa[illegible]nal and scientific reports for the U S Cen[illegible]nial Exhibition for 1876

Very respectfully yours
L L. ROWLAND,
Chairman Com E & S Reports.

[illegible] undersigned, in fulfilling this service, [illegible] that the frequent mention of several [illegible] connected with this history has been [illegible] to its truth and completeness. The [illegible] of history, as of a river, are like hid[illegible] springs, hardly known, until the tiny riv[illegible] marks its own course

We can trace the rise of this institution to [illegible] two distinct and apparently independent [illegible], that united opportunely, or, as we [illegible] to say, providentially What thoughts [illegible] been germinating in other minds before [illegible] revealed from us.

The American Home Missionary Society in [illegible]tember, 1846, within a month after the [illegible] on the Oregon boundary had been made [illegible] by President Polk, having planned to [illegible] their mission work on the Pacific coast, [illegible] Oregon as a field, requested Rev. G. H. [illegible]inson to be their pioneer missionary, with [illegible]mission to aid in planting churches, [illegible], and to diffuse Christian knowledge. [illegible]dger, the secretary, directed him in May, [illegible] to call upon Rev Theron Baldwin, sec[illegible] of the then new Society, for promoting [illegible]ate and theological education at the [illegible] The interview was brief, ending in [illegible] inclusive words. You are going to Oregon. Found an academy that shall grow into [illegible]ege, as we founded Illinois College."

[illegible] two weeks after arriving at Oregon City, [illegible]23, 1848, these words were repeated to [illegible] Harvey Clarke, who had come from Ver[illegible] and New York with his wife, as self-sup[illegible] missionaries to the Indians of Eastern [illegible], and thence to West Tualatin Plains [illegible] Forest Grove. The Oregon Association [illegible] ministers and Churches was there planned [illegible] organized, to meet at Oregon City [illegible]mber, 1848. The subject was presented [illegible] that body, and the following minute was [illegible] of their action.

At the meeting of the Association of Con[illegible]tional and Presbyterian brethren, Sep[illegible]ber 21, 1848, it was resolved that it is expe[illegible] to found an academy under our pat[illegible]e. On discussion, it was resolved that [illegible] Tualatin Plains is the most favorable loca[illegible] After continued discussion, it was re[illegible] to appoint trustees, who shall locate an [illegible]emy, become incorporated and attend to [illegible]terests"

[illegible] Harvey Clarke, Hiram Clark, Esq, P[illegible] [illegible], Esq, Rev. Lewis Thompson, Wm [illegible], Esq, Alvin T Smith, Esq., James [illegible]ore, Esq, D. Russel, Esq, and Rev. G [illegible]inson were appointed trustees, who or[illegible] by choosing Rev H Clarke, president [illegible] G. H Atkinson secretary, A T Smith [illegible] treasurer, and Hiram Clark, Esq, aud[illegible] and by adopting a constitution and by-[illegible]

Another mind had been moved to a similar [illegible] Mrs. Tabitha Brown, a lady of 68 [illegible], formerly from Brimfield, Massachusetts [illegible] widow of an Episcopal minister, had fol[illegible] her children and grand children [illegible] Missouri in 1846 to Oregon. Her [illegible] had been moved by the sight [illegible] many orphan children, left on the [illegible], and in 1847 she said to Mr Clarke, [illegible] I was rich?" Why?" said he. "I'd [illegible] to found an orphan asylum and build [illegible] an educational institution to furnish a [illegible] and instruction for these children." [illegible] two formed the plan and collected the [illegible] to erect a log house for a home. Mrs. [illegible] gathered in 40 or 50 children, boarding [illegible] for a dollar per week They employed [illegible]acher and the enterprise was launched at [illegible] Tualatin This orphan school was of[illegible] to the trustees of the proposed academy [illegible] should grow into a college, and accepted [illegible] Rev Harvey Clarke pledged 200 acres [illegible] claim, taken and held under the then [illegible] provisional government of Oregon, [illegible] site of the academy and school village [illegible] was expected to grow up around it [illegible] old log church, with mud chimney on the [illegible]side, and puncheon floor and seats within [illegible] offered and accepted as the temporary [illegible]ool house, and L D C. Latourette was [illegible] first teacher. Rev. C. Eells was next [illegible]ployed as teacher, and a contract was let to [illegible] a more commodious house of hewn logs, [illegible] hundred dollars having been subscribed [illegible] The trustees secured an act of incorporation [illegible] the first legislature of the Territory [illegible] by the authority of the United States [illegible]ember 26 1849 "establishing in Washing[illegible] county a seminary of learning for the in[illegible]uction of persons of both sexes in science [illegible] literature, to be known by the style of [illegible] President and Trustees of Tualatin [illegible]cademy,' empowering them, when it shall [illegible] expedient to do so, to exercise all the privi[illegible]ges as president and trustees of a college or [illegible]iversity as the case may be, that should be [illegible]ercised and enjoyed by the president and [illegible]ustees of other colleges and universities that [illegible] hereafter be created in this Territory."

The land was laid out into blocks of four [illegible] each, an acre to a lot, with streets four [illegible] wide, and twenty acres were set apart for [illegible] campus ten of land pledged by Mr Clarke [illegible] ten of land pledged by Mr Stokes an[illegible] Rev. E Walker.

Meanwhile the gold mines of California ha[illegible] discovered, and, though golddust in sou[illegible] was plenty, prices ruled high for labor [illegible] materials and food for all classes The school [illegible] in favor, and the need of more room le[illegible] the erection of what is now called the ol[illegible] college building The orphan house bloc[illegible] was sold for $1000, to be paid in the labor of th[illegible] contractor, rated at $10 per day Lumber wa[illegible] bought at $50 to $60 per M Lots were sol[illegible] which, with other collections, paid $3,000 o[illegible] the $7,000 which the building, enclosed wit[illegible] one or two rudely finished rooms, had cost.

The changes of teachers the growing de[illegible]mands of this work, and the increasing deb[illegible] laid a heavier burden upon Rev. Mr Clark[illegible] and his family, and other trustees and friend[illegible] than they could bear Grave questions ha[illegible] called for frequent councils of the trustee[illegible] during these early years, and you might s[illegible] them coming on horseback by trails an[illegible] roughest roads, through the woods to spen[illegible] days and nights in anxious search and earnes[illegible] prayer for wisdom to guide and means to exe[illegible] cute their original plan The tides of exchang[illegible] [illegible] population were annually flowing to an[illegible] from the mines and it became a more an[illegible] more difficult problem to know what to d[illegible] with this and other institutions and church[illegible] buildings that were more or less dependen[illegible] upon the same men

At this juncture, in April 1852 at the re[illegible]quest of the trustees Rev Mr Atkinson wen[illegible] to New York to enlist the aid of Easter[illegible] friends and especially of the College Society [illegible] A circular [illegible] his [illegible] was published with endorsements of promin[illegible] ent ministers and business men in New York

The enterprise thus begun was laid befor[illegible] Dr Baldwin who had given the idea, an[illegible] then before the College Society with the re[illegible] quest to be adopted as the next or 8th on thei[illegible] list and to have the grant of $600, the interes[illegible] of $10,000,) annually to support a permanen[illegible] professor Both requests were granted, an[illegible] by public and private appeals $800 in co[illegible] and $700 in books were collected for the inst[illegible]tution A professor was engaged who afte[illegible] having spent weeks in studying text books an[illegible] plans for the college course, declined t[illegible] come, but introduced Rev S H Marsh